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READY FOR CARTLIDGE AGAIN.

Andre Dupre, ex-featherweight champion of France, arrived in Hongkong yesterday, ready and willing for a return fight with C.P.O. Jim Cartledge, the Colony's lightweight champion. He intends to take up residence at the Repulse Bay Hotel.

Interviewed this morning by "Wanderer," Dupre said he was perfectly willing to fight on the same terms as before, namely, \$1,500, win, lose or draw.

Questioned as to Cartledge's suggestion that they should fight for the whole purse, winner to take all, he pointed out that it would be equivalent to backing himself at two to one on. I upre says he does not see his way clear to do so. During the course of his nine years' boxing Dupre has damaged his right wrist on three occasions, and, as he said to-day, "one never knows."

WRESTLING.

DEFEATED MEN INJURED.

Michigan City, May 31. "Strangler" Lewis, the claimant for the world's heavyweight wrestling championship, threw Wayne Munn in two falls out of three, using a succession of head locks. Munn had to be carried from the ring.

Lewis gets the bulk of a thirty thousand dollar purse and retains the ten thousand dollar diamond belt.—*Reuter's American Service.*

St. Louis, May 31. Joe Stecher beat Zybyzko in two straight falls, in a wrestling match for a purse of fifty thousand dollars.

It is expected that Stecher will now meet Strangler Lewis for the world's championship.

Zybyzko had to be sent to hospital after the match with internal injuries, several ribs being broken and his back being injured.—*Reuter's American Service.*

DEFEAT OF MC TIGUE.

AN AGGRESSIVE OPPONENT.

New York, May 31. By defeating McTigue, Berlenbach becomes the fourth holder of the world's light-heavyweight title in three years.

Berlenbach was aggressive and repeatedly forced McTigue to the ropes, boring in with hard rights and lefts, but McTigue covered up and dodged, causing Berlenbach frequently to miss. Nevertheless, Berlenbach landed a number of solid punches, cutting McTigue's eyes and mouth.

McTigue rallied gamely in the final round, and took the offensive, but the judges had no difficulty in awarding Berlenbach the decision.—*Reuter's American Service.*

VARIETY CONCERT.

FOR LOCAL ORPHANAGE.

An enjoyable evening was spent at the Catholic Union Club on Saturday night when a number of enthusiastic workers for the St. Anthony's Orphanage at West Point provided an entertainment which was thoroughly appreciated by a large audience.

In the variety bill that was presented, a number of items were found to be of more than ordinary interest, particularly the charming tableau of "The Enchanted Garden," which was a lovely vision of a riot of colours and in which some twenty girls took part, dressed in charming costumes to represent different flowers.

The concert, which was under the distinguished patronage of Rev. Fr. Spada, should considerably augment the proceeds obtained at a previous performance.

TAIPO FORESHORE.

"YOUR NOSE KNOWS."

We have received the following letter for publication:—

Sir,—There is a subject which I have promised myself to ventilate for some time past. I refer to the dumping of rubbish on the foreshore at Taiipo market. For months past every time I pass the spot, I have been reminded of the slogan of a famous American tobacco firm, viz., "Your nose knows." Judging from the odour there is, I should imagine, something more than road sweepings and household rubbish dumped on the seashore at this spot.

Quite recently there has been lots of talk about mosquitoes and the like in this district. Does the Government wish to have a typhoid epidemic also on its hands in this rural spot? Cannot a barge be provided to take such stuff out to sea, or what about filling up some of the adjacent swamps? Anywhere else is better than dumping it right on the foreshore where it can be blown back again into Taiipo Market. We have a beautiful drive round the New Territories, spilt, I should say, by this plague spot right by the wayside at this congested and busy centre. Now that Kam Tin has its gates back, possibly the District Officer responsible will get a move on before the hot weather makes matters worse.

Yours, etc.,
MOTORIST.

Hongkong, 1st, June, 1925.

ITALIAN FLIGHT.

FROM AUSTRALIA TO JAPAN.

Broom, May 31. Apart from some bad moments through bumping, Major DePinedo has hitherto done better than he anticipated.

He now proceeds on the stages to Melbourne, where he has a three week overhaul, and departs for Tokyo via Thursday Island, Ambony, Macassar, Manado, Manila and Formosa.

He will stay a month at Tokyo. [Major De Pinedo left Italy on April 22, and his flight from Europe to Australia has thus taken 38 to 39 days.]

INTIMIDATION CHARGE.

"BOY" SENT TO PRISON.

Mr. G. Cousins, of Felix Villas, at the Central Magistracy this morning charged a Chinese servant, who had been under notice to leave at the end of May, with intimidation of the amah.

Evidence was given to the effect that the "boy" tried to force the amah to leave with him. The man was found guilty and in addition to a sentence of four months hard labour, was ordered to find two sureties to enter into a bond for his good behaviour for one year after leaving prison. If no sureties were forthcoming, his Worship ordered that the man's sentence should be increased to six months.

AMERICAN COLLEGE CHAMPIONS.

Philadelphia, May 31. The University of South California has won the 1925 inter-collegiate track and field championship.—*Reuter's American Service.*

MR. HARVEY GIVES UP EDITORSHIP.

Washington, May 31. Ex-Ambassador Harvey has resigned from the editorship of the *Washington Post*.—*Reuter's American Service.*

CANTON OUTLOOK.

MERCHANTS CONFER WITH GOVERNOR.

We take the following from the *Canton Gazette* of Saturday:—The recent prevalence of unfounded rumours has caused some anxiety among the people, particularly the merchants, who fear that trouble may break out.

In order to explain the real situation thus avoiding any misunderstandings on the part of the people, the Governor held a conference with a number of leading merchants the day before yesterday, which Minister Liao Chungkai, Mr. Wong Ching-wei and Mr. Kam Nai kwong, chief of the Merchants' Section of the Kuomintang, also attended. Among the leading merchants present at the conference were Mr. Chow Tinpong, Chairman of the General Chamber of Commerce, Messrs. Cheung Sou-shek and Wong Yuk-Sing, presidents of the Merchants' Union.

The Governor said that in resisting Tang Chi-yao's invasion it was the aim of the Government to give Kwangtung provinces a period of rest, now that the East River campaign had been straightened out. The heavy burdens formerly laid on our people would be reduced, and economic conditions promoted. The invasion of Kwangsi by warlord Tang Chi-yao was inspired by ambition to put the Two Kwangs under his thumb and to extend here his influence. (It is to be noted that the Yunnan and Kweichow provinces have so suffered that a dollar can buy only 2 catties of rice, and a catty of salt is worth 80 or 90 cents, and there have been great numbers dying of starvation in the two provinces.)

The Government in its efforts to safeguard the life and property of the people of the Two Kwangs and likewise to maintain the position of the revolutionary forces, could not but take action to defeat Tang Chi-yao. All armies under the banner of this government must adopt this attitude in pursuance of our principles.

The next speaker was Mr. Wong Ching-wei who in reviewing the recent political situation in the North explained the former relations between Tuan Chin-jui and the late Generalissimo and the reason why no co-operation had been possible. After relating what had been done by the imperialists and militarists to the disadvantage of this province Mr. Wong urged the merchants to unite together for the salvation of the province.

Minister Liao then gave a brief account in regard to the past history of the Kuomintang Army emphasising the splendid work it had performed in the interest of the people at large.

Mr. Chow Tin-ping said he proposed to call a meeting of the merchants for the purpose of clarifying the situation. The next speaker proposed the issuance by merchants of a manifesto denouncing Tang Chi-yao, while a third proposed that the merchants co-operate more closely with the government through "thick and thin," against the enemies of the people.

PAY BY DAY.

At the meeting of the Sanitary Board to-morrow afternoon, letters are to be considered from the Government relative to the provision of a children's playground in Kowloon, and also regarding the report of the Committee appointed to investigate the subject of improving the system of food inspection in the Colony.

An increase in pay is being demanded by the masons from their employers and a strike is threatened if the request is not complied with, says the *Canton Gazette*. Sometime ago, the masons demanded a rise, and the employers increased their wages to one dollar and thirty cents daily. The employers are not likely to grant another rise after so short a time.

RIFTS' ALLIES.

FOREIGN INSTRUCTORS AND DOCTORS.

Paris, May 31. A message from Fez says the report that Abd El Krim has European, Egyptian, Italian, and Tunisian army instructors is confirmed.

It is reported that Gorman, who in his immediate entourage, Rifis are said to have gone to Hamburg to buy arms. Gorman field dressing and medical supplies were picked up in the course of recent fighting.

Abd El Krim is reported to have recruited a number of German doctors. Numbers of German tourists, whose destination is unknown, have arrived at Ceuta and Tetuan.—*Reuter.*

"OUR CABARET."

A HAPPY EVENING.

Saturday night's entertainment, "Our Cabaret," at the Theatre Royal kept a crowded audience in a state of enthusiasm and laughter from the first item on the programme to the last. Hongkong, in common with most cities throughout the East, does not believe all that is claimed for unknown Companies prior to arrival, this attitude being adopted on account of disappointments in the past. This same attitude explains the small houses which greeted our present entertainers at the first two performances. Hongkong is, however, not slow to recognise and appreciate a really excellent show as witnessed by the size of Saturday's audience, and the continuous applause and demands for encores.

"Our Cabaret" is indeed a new and pleasing style of musical show, every member of which is an entertainer of the highest order, while the manner of presentation of the various items is as peppy as one could wish for.

Whether it be dancing, singing or humour, the standard is high, and the novelty of the whole show carries with it an instant appeal. Those who have not yet spent an evening with "Our Cabaret" certainly have a treat in store and we imagine that there will be a heavy demand for seats for the rest of the season.

ITALIAN CONVENT.

PITMAN'S SHORTHAND SCHOOL.

The results of examinations held at the Convent some months ago, are at hand, and the list of the successful candidates is as follows:

Spaed.—140 words a minute, Messrs Beatrice Gill, Anna Lynn, and Mary Medina; 100 words, Misses Heviges Silva, Julia Remedios, Anita King, Nellie Gubbay, Anita Silice, Emma Mercer, Lolita Rocha; 80 words, Misses Violet May and Florrie Neave.

Theory.—Mrs. M. Vessoona, Misses Jean Rosario, Olga King, Stella Joailho, Estolita Xavier, Benedicte Xavier, Celeste Ozorio, Florence Lynn, Irene Rapp, Bernice Chenalloy, Mrs. M. Howe, Misses E. Nind, Vinifred Littleton, May Gaubert Rosina Sully, Kathleen Rapp, Eva Coysh Celeste Gill.

Elementary.—Misses Ester Chan, Florence Lynn, Bernice Chenalloy, Irene Rapp, Katie Rapp, Annie Cross, May Gaubert, Winnie Littleton, Rosina Sully, Celeste Gill.

EARL ASQUITH, K.G.

London, May 31. The Earl of Oxford and Asquith has been appointed a Knight of the Garter.—*Reuter.*

ANOTHER PIRACY.

MOTOR VESSEL RANSACKED.

News has reached Hongkong this morning of another piracy on the West River, the victim in this case being the motor ship Louise, Malm, 103 tons net register.

It appears that the vessel was on Friday proceeding from Wuchow to Loohow when she was suddenly held up by a gang of two hundred pirates located on both banks of the river. The pirates compelled the ship to stop by keeping up an incessant fire, and when the vessel hove to, the pirates clambered on board. Then they ordered the skipper to come alongside the bank, where they removed all the cargo and took away into captivity some forty passengers who were on board. The ship was then allowed to depart, and she returned to Wuchow with a skeleton crew.

The boat was, at the time, carrying a general cargo. She is owned by Capt. Finn Malm, who is leaving for Wuchow to-morrow to investigate the matter.

SURREYS BOXING.

INTER-PLATOON FINALS.

The semi-finals and finals of the Surreys inter-platoon tournament in connection with the "Montague Bates" Cup were fought at Murray Barracks on Saturday evening. Some fine bouts were witnessed and, at the conclusion, No. 1 platoon and the Drums and Signals had drawn for leading place with 37 points each. This score credited them with ten points towards the trophy.

The complete results were as follows:—

Flyweights:—Mabey (10) knocked out Edwards in the first round; Drm. Baker (D & S) beat Pte. Brazier on points. Final: Baker beat Mabey on points.

Bantamweights:—Drm. Simpson (D & S) knocked out Pte. Foster in the first round. Pte. Baxter (1) beat Pte. Dawson (4) on points.

Final: Baxter beat Simpson on points.

Featherweights:—Cooper (2) w.o. Halcombe injured; Drm. Bowles (D & S) knocked out Pte. Lelliott in the second round. Final: Bowles beat Cooper.

Lightweights:—Pte. Williamson (1) beat Pte. Key on points; Pte. Simmonds k.o. L/C Leaver first round. Final: Williamson k.o. Simmonds in the first round.

Welterweights:—Final: Pte. Mann (1) beat Pte. Pooley, (3), who retired in the second round with an injured arm.

Middleweights:—Pte. Eaton (4) beat L/C Wright (R.S.) on points; Pte. Problitts (1) k.o. Pte. Elliott (14). Final: Pte. Problitts beat Eaton on points.

Light-heavyweights:—Pte. Gravitt (7) k.o. Pte. Williams in the first round; L/C Brand (R.S.) w.o. Laight injured. Final: Brand beat Gravitt on points.

CORRESPONDENCE

(To the Editor of the "Hongkong Telegraph.")

Limericks.

Sir,—Much interest appears to have been aroused locally in Limericks as a result of your popular last-line competition. But it seems that some competitors have a rather hazy idea of how a Limerick scans. For their guidance, the following excellent example which I recently encountered may be of interest:—

There was an old lady of Sheen
Whose musical ear was not keen
She remarked, "It is odd,
That I cannot tell," "God
Save the vessel," from "Pop
goes the Queen."
Enclosing my card, and thanking you for inserting the above,
Yours etc.
RHYMSTER.
Hongkong, May 31st, 1925.

OBITUARY.

DEATH OF MR. T. MEEK.

It is with great regret that we record the death of Mr. Thomas Meek, of the China Light and Power Co., Ltd., which took place at the Peak Hospital yesterday.

The deceased, who was a single man and who hailed from Walsall, came to the Colony as a military bandman, taking his discharge from the Army towards the end of 1920, when he joined the Hongkong Amusements, Ltd., being for a time manager of the Kowloon Theatre. He later took charge of the Star Theatre, being manager at the time of its opening. Some time ago he left this Company and joined the China Light and Power Co., Ltd., being employed in the meter department. During his stay in the Colony he made many friends, who will hear with much regret of his demise.

The funeral takes place this evening, passing the Monument at 5.30 p.m.

WHY LORD MAYOR STAYED AWAY.

Objected To 'Pope Before King In Toast.

Should the toast of "The Pope and the King" be given at Roman Catholic functions, and if given, should it be honoured?

This controversy, recently raised anew through an objection to the toast by the Lord Mayor of London, Sir Alfred Bower, himself a Catholic, was temporarily settled by the absence of the Lord Mayor and the Sheriffs from the annual St. George's Day banquet of the Catenians, the well-known Catholic society.

Making the announcement, the "Catholic Herald" speaks of the decision of the Catenians to have the toast duly honoured, and "to dispense with the presence of the Lord Mayor and the Sheriffs."

AN EXPLANATION.

Denying the statement that his presence at a previous banquet was conditional upon the removal of the toast from the list, the Lord Mayor recently wrote:—

I would like to explain that the only objection I raised was to the health of the Pope being proposed before the health of the King, is a comparatively recent introduction to which I very strongly object and always shall object.

If it is the wish of the company at any dinner, I shall be delighted to hear the toast of the Pope proposed after the Royal toasts have been given. In Catholic countries abroad the health of the Pope is never proposed, on the ground that the spiritual status of the Holy Father puts him above such honours.

A number of Roman Catholic bishops were present at the banquet, but Cardinal Bourne, Archbishop of Westminster, was not among them.

\$230,000 FUNERAL.

Display In Anhui.

One of the biggest funeral processions seen for many years past has just passed through the city, says the Pechow correspondent of the *North China Daily News* whose account is of special interest in view of the movement in Hongkong to check ceremonial extravagance. The procession was five miles long. No lesser sum than \$200,000 was expended upon the ceremonies and in purchasing a tomb placed in the deceased's family vault.

Still more money was spent at the ceremony held at the ancestral hall when the ancestral tablets were displayed to all donors. Some 5,000 invitations were issued and 100 cooks were engaged to provide refreshment for the guests. They were also entertained by a theatrical troupe from Shanghai whose services cost the family \$30,000!

IN SPORTS NEWS.

WRESTLERS AND BOXER.

Five months ago Ed. Lewis, nicknamed the "Strangler," was beaten in a wrestling match by a college youth, Wayne Munn. "Big" Munn used his marvellous strength to throw Lewis out of



Ed. ("Strangler") Lewis, the ring, and the "Strangler" was somewhat badly hurt. Lewis, however, has regained his position, by defeating Munn in two falls out of three, as reported



in to-day's cables. The "Strangler" will now meet another big winner, who has beaten Stanislaus Zybyzko, a Polish wrestler famous some years ago. Though over 50 years of age, he recently



Stan. Zybyzko, returned to the world championship arena. Mike McTigue is seen here



Mike McTigue, with a "winning" smile, but he has just lost the light-heavyweight boxing title, on points, being out-boxed by a particularly aggressive opponent.

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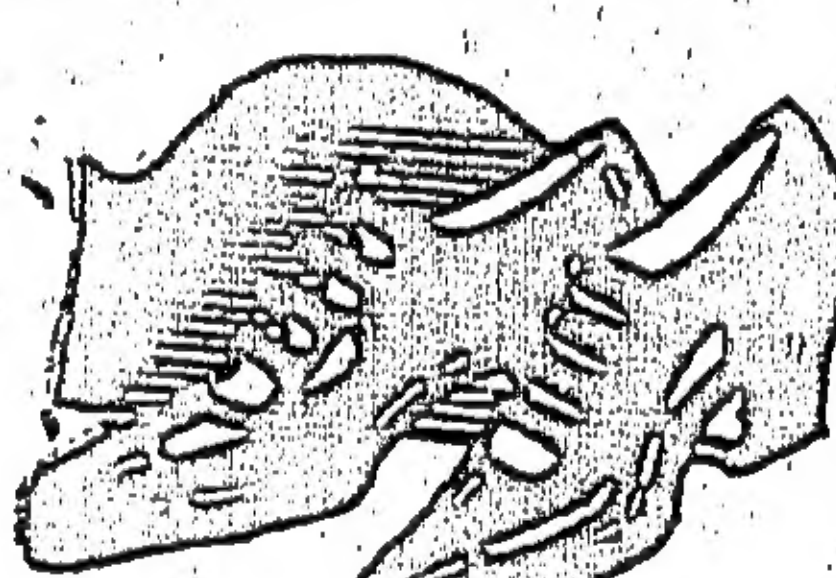
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SATURDAY'S RACING.

FIFTH EXTRA MEETING AT HAPPY VALLEY.

The weather was not too promising for the Fifth Extra Race meeting at Happy Valley on Saturday, but in spite of this a large number attended for this final event of the season. Showers came at intervals, but by good fortune they occurred between races and thus did not interfere with the sport. His Excellency the Governor, and party arrived before the first race and remained till the end.

Mr. Pollock was the most successful jockey with three firsts out of five starts. Lieut. Commr. Thompson had one first and two seconds as did Mr. E. Brodie. Mr. Davies had one second and two thirds and Mr. Buck a first and a second, while Mr. Harriman could only manage two thirds. Lady Severn took the first race with Jambu, to which H. E. the Governor's Gaudie ran third while the intervening place was occupied by Hailsham which was previously in the ownership of Captain Neville, A. D. C. to His Excellency, thus making of the event something in the nature of an Administrative monopoly. Messrs. Dyer and Beith had a first and second, Mr. H. P. White a first and a second, Messrs. Dunbar and Stanton two seconds, Mr. Bagram two thirds and His Excellency a second and a third.

Results.

1.—Chesham Handicap: "B" Class: Six Furlongs.—1st prize, \$400; 2nd prize, \$150; 3rd prize, \$100.

Lady Severn's Jambu (late Stunner Dahlia) (Mr. Pollock) 1
Lt.-Com. C. R. Thompson's Hailsham (owner) 2
H.E. Sir Edward Stubbs's Gaudie (Mr. Davies) 3

Also ran: New York (Mr. Brodie), Vallant (late Vallant Dahlia) (Mr. Gibson), Uncle Tam (Mr. Harriman), Toomai (Mr. da Roza), Solly (Mr. Buck).
Time: 1.34. 2 lengths, 1/4 length.
Pari-mutuel: Winner, \$19.30; Places, 7.20; 23.10; 11.40.

Cash Sweeps.
Ticket No. 554 \$1,658.30
282 473.80
340 236.90
\$50 tickets Nos. 342, 13, 114, 200, 367.

2.—Granville Stakes: One Mile. For China ponies, Grifins of the season. 1st prize, \$400; 2nd prize, \$150; 3rd prize, \$100.

Messrs. Hall and Shenton's Saligia (Mr. Pollock) 1
Messrs. Dyer and Beith's Blotting Paper (Lt.-Com. Thompson) 2
Mr. Bagram's Dictator Dahlia (Mr. Harriman) 3

Also ran: The Wasp (Mr. da Roza), Uncle Charlie (late Carnation Leaf) (Mr. Buck), Wimera (Mr. Gibson).
Time: 2.05.2/5. 6 lengths, 5 lengths.
Pari-mutuel: Winner, \$10.30; Places 5.70, 7.30, 6.00.

Cash Sweeps.
Ticket No. 552 \$2,241.40
477 640.40
462 320.20
\$50 tickets Nos. 179, 472, 597.

3.—Chesham Handicap: "A" Class: Six Furlongs.—For China ponies. 1st prize, \$400; 2nd prize, \$150; 3rd prize, \$100.

Mr. H. P. White's Gypsy Love (Mr. Buck) 1
Messrs. Dunbar and Stanton's Seattle (Mr. Brodie) 2
Mr. Dynasty's King Emperor (Mr. Davies) 3

Also ran: Grey Streak (Mr. Pollock), Rotheray (Lt.-Com. Thompson), Gyp (Mr. Harrison), Rayfield (Mr. Gibson).
Time: 1.32.4/5. 2 1/2 lengths, short head.

Pari-mutuel: Winner, \$22.40; Places 6.80, 6.50, 8.50.

Cash Sweeps.
Ticket No. 55 \$2,335.90
750 667.40
313 333.70
\$50 tickets Nos. 123, 167, 488, 112.

4.—Ribblesdale Stakes: One Mile.—For China ponies that have started in at least two races in Hongkong

AVIATION.

ITALIAN WORLD FLIGHT.

Melbourne, May 31.—Major di Pinedo has landed at Broome.—*Reuter.*

Rome, May 30.—The Italian airship Esperia has sailed on a triangular flight to Barcelona and Toulon and back to Rome.—*Reuter.*

since 1st January, 1925. 1st prize, \$500; 2nd prize, \$200; 3rd prize, \$100. Messrs. Dyer and Beith's Grey Morn (Lt.-Com. Thompson) 1
Messrs. Dunbar and Stanton's Chicago (Mr. Brodie) 2
Mr. Bagram's Magnificent Dahlia (Mr. Harriman) 3
Time: 2.04.1/5. Many lengths, many lengths.

Pari-mutuel: Winner, \$3.40; Place \$5.70.

Cash Sweeps.
Ticket No. 485 \$5,588.10
324 1,598.90
484 798.30

5.—Novices Race: Once Round.—For China ponies—1st prize, \$400; 2nd prize, \$150; 3rd prize, \$100.

Mr. J. H. Taggart's Demon Boy (Mr. Buck) 1
Mr. H. P. White's Saracen (Mr. Buck) 2
Mr. Fato's Two Pairs (Mr. Potts) 3

Also ran: Tadworth (Mr. Bartholomew), Alcantra (Mr. da Roza), Auchencroch (Captain Hall), Quab (Mr. Stanton), Stimo (late Smart Guy) (Mr. Simmonds), May Leaf (late The Hottentot, late Dignity) (Captain Oxaplin).

Time: 1.57. 4 lengths, 1 1/2 lengths.

Pari-mutuel: Winner, \$100.30; \$11.20, \$5.60, \$7.70.

Cash Sweeps.
Ticket No. 788 \$2,489.20
484 711.20
407 356.60

\$50 tickets Nos. 556, 602, 135, 283, 612, 607.

6.—Waterford Plate: "B" Class Handicap: One and a Quarter Miles.—For China ponies. 1st prize, \$450; 2nd prize, \$200; 3rd prize, \$100.

Mr. H. Birkett's Beldorney Star (Mr. Brodie) 1
H.E. Sir Edward Stubbs's Gaudie (Mr. Davies) 2
Captain R. Neville's Vallant (late Vallant Dahlia) (Mr. Gibson) 3

Also ran: Mowgli (Mr. Harriman), A.B. (Mr. da Roza), Langsat (Mr. Pollock).
Time: 2.45.4/5. 2 1/2 lengths, 2 lengths.

Pari-mutuel: Winner, \$21.90; Places \$10.20, \$15.20, \$22.40.

Cash Sweeps.
Ticket No. 677 \$2,503.20
43 713.20
59 357.50

7.—Waterford Plate: "A" Class Handicap: One and a Quarter Miles.—For China ponies. 1st prize, \$450; 2nd prize, \$200; 3rd prize, \$100.

Mr. R. M. Austin's Grey Streak (Mr. Pollock) 1
Mr. A. A. Alves's Golden Chrysanthemum (Mr. da Roza) 2
Mr. Ferdinand's Curiosity Shop (Mr. Gibson) 3

Also ran: Poppy Leaf (Mr. Harriman), Loch Rannoch (Lt.-Com. Thompson), Beauty Dahlia (Mr. Davies), Uncle Alf (late Primrose Leaf) (Mr. Buck), Baby Eyes (Mr. Brodie).

Time: 2.44.2/5. 3 lengths, 1/2 length.

Pari-mutuel: Winner, \$42.20; Places \$10.30, \$11.00, \$21.00.

Cash Sweeps.
Ticket No. 729 \$2,653.70
115 758.20
689 379.10

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Park Plate—Five Furlongs.

Chicago Dictator Dahlia 1
Rotheray 2
Westenhanger Stakes—from Two Mile Post Once Round and In.

The Wasp 1
Beauty Dahlia 2
Uncle Alf 3

Maidstone Plate—One Mile.
Saracen 1
Gaudie 2
Alcantra 3

June Handicap, "A" Class.—One Mile and a Quarter.
Saligia 1
Grey Knight 2
Golden Chrysanthemum 3

Wimera Selling Plate—Once Round.
King Emperor 1
Baby Eyes 2
Magnificent Dahlia 3

June Handicap, "B" Class.—One Mile and a Quarter.
Beldorney Star 1
Demon Boy 2
Mowgli 3

Folkestone Stakes—One Mile.
Blotting Paper 1
Dictator Dahlia 2
Golden Chrysanthemum 3

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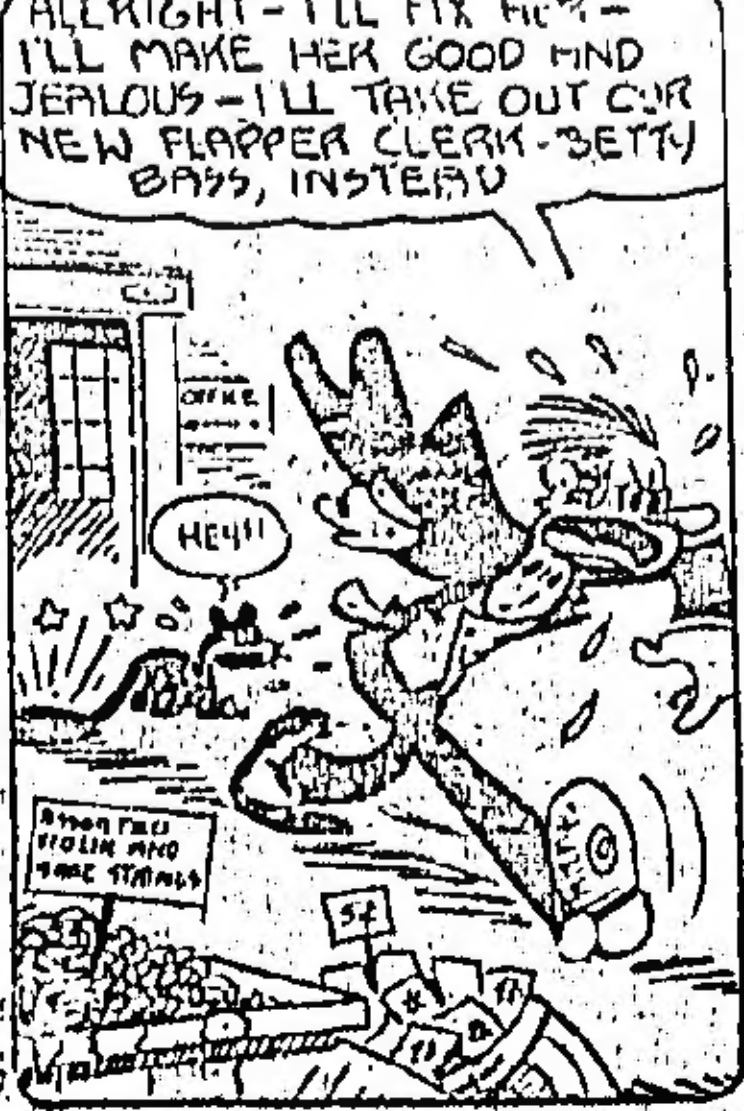


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EARLIER TELEGRAMS.

EUROPEAN SECURITY.

London, May 30.

According to authoritative statements in London and Paris yesterday, the clarification of the security situation has so progressed that complete agreement may shortly be expected. Neither in London nor Paris is it stated wherein the outstanding difference consists, but comments in Paris and Berlin newspapers to-day indicate that Britain insists upon limitation of the security pact to Germany's western frontiers as Germany proposed. Yesterday's London statement said the expectation of agreement was based upon the hope and belief that France will adopt suggestions representing the unanimous view of the British Government. This is interpreted by the Berlin *Boersen Courier* as something like an ultimatum. The French writer *Pertinax* says that Britain repeats her splendid isolation formula, which is an encouragement to German revenge in East Europe. He adds that Belgium approves the British viewpoint.—*Reuter*.

Paris, May 31.

Havas's diplomatic correspondent confirms the report that Britain and France have virtually agreed to the principal points of a Note to Germany in reply to the German proposals for a security pact. It is thought that the remaining details will be settled in time to enable the Note to be sent to Berlin within a fortnight.

Britain declares her readiness to use all her strength to guarantee the integrity of the Rhine frontier. She refuses to pledge herself to military intervention in the event of Germany violating the eastern frontiers. But repeats her desire faithfully to fulfil her engagements under the peace treaties. Consequently in event of conflict she probably would be brought to support diplomatically the claims of the State attacked.

Britain also admits that France shall retain complete liberty of action as conferred on her by the League covenant, in coming to the defence of the integrity of the eastern frontiers. The military forces of France in this case will have to receive free passage through Germany.—*Reuter*.

CHINA'S PLIGHT.

London, May 30.

The necessity for doing something about China is insisted upon by *The Times* in a leader, which says it is simply absurd to entertain the idea that great civilising Powers can afford interminably to remain the passive and depressed spectators of what is called the "Chinese chaos."

The Times dwells upon the existence of vitality in China and the rich potentialities for development, and submits that Great Britain should take the lead in devising a plan for delivering China from the incubus of Civil War. The subject should be taken up at the overdue Conference to consider the question of increasing the Customs duties, provided for by the Washington Convention. The Conference might consult not only the Peking Government but all active leaders of Chinese opinion.—*Reuter*.

CRIME IN AMERICA.

Washington, May 30.

Statistics showing eight times as many murders in America in proportion to population as in Britain and that other crimes are also more numerous, have provided Mr. Coolidge with material for a Memorial Day plea for better enforcement of law and order, and universal observance of the constitution by Americans.

The President ascribed the unfavourable comparison to the fact that crimes rarely remained unpunished in Britain, while the reverse was true in America. He expressed the opinion that the apparent lawlessness of Americans was due rather to carelessness than to moral laxity.—*Reuter's American Service*.

FLYING FOR THE MILLION.

London, May 30.

A remarkable feat has been accomplished by the well-known airman Alan Cobham, who flew a light aeroplane, called the De Havilland Moth, from Croydon to Zurich and back, about a thousand miles, in thirteen hours, forty-nine minutes actual flying time, with an interval of only three quarters of an hour between the outward and homeward journeys, both of which were made without stop.

The Moth was fitted with a 27-60 horse power Cirrus Engine. The cost of the trip worked out at a trifle over a penny a mile. It is predicted that the machine can be sold at £150 sterling if produced on a large scale.—*Reuter*.

BELGIUM'S DEBT TO AMERICA.

Washington, May 30.

The Belgian Ambassador has informed the Secretary to the Treasury that a Belgian Commission, headed by the ex-prime Minister, M. Theunis, and including the Minister for Finance, will shortly proceed to America in connection with the Belgian desire to initiate negotiations for the early funding of the debt to the United States.—*Reuter*.

BULGAR COMMUNISTS.

Sofia, May 30.

The authorities, learning that three Agrarian Communist exiles entered Bulgaria from Yugoslavia and were hiding in the village of Vrabnitza, sent a lieutenant and a number of police to arrest them. The exiles, when discovered, fired, killing the lieutenant, and escaped.—*Reuter*.

CAPTAIN AMUNDSEN.

London, May 31.

An *Observer* correspondent states that followers of Captain Amundsen's record are confident that he is alive and that when he started from Spitzbergen on the 21st his programme included far more than a few hours return flight to the North Pole.—*Reuter*.

THE FRENCH BUDGET.

Paris, May 31.

The Senate by a vote of 239 to 1 passed the budget which shows an excess revenue over expenditure of 28,000,000 francs. M. Caillaux stated that he desired to apply the revenues from the Dawes plan to other purposes than budgetary needs.—*Reuter*.

RIOT AT SHANGHAI.

ANTI-JAPANESE DEMONSTRATION.

Shanghai, May 30.—The anti-Japanese feeling, which has been bitter since the cotton mill strike, had a climax this afternoon, when three hundred young Chinese of the student class marched in procession along Shanghai's main street, distributing anti-foreign and mainly anti-Japanese literature.

Refusing to disperse, sixty were arrested and taken to a police station, where the ring-leaders were picked out. The remainder were released, but refused to depart. Largely reinforced, they severely handled a constable and made a general attack upon the police station. The police ineffectually fired over their heads, and eventually fired point blank, severely wounding ten, of whom six succumbed. Subsequently, thirty were arrested, including two girls.

Disorders also occurred in Chapei suburb. There is much Chinese excitement, but the situation is well in hand.

Later.

The Police report states that the anti-Japanese riots were inspired by the killing of a Chinese workman by a Japanese foreman during the recent cotton mill strikes.

Seven of the rioters have died.

Kill the Foreigners.

The crowd knocked down Constables Cole and Steven and attempted to wrest their arms away, shouting: "Kill the foreigners." The shot men were undoubtedly students. Pamphlets distributed denounce Imperialism, England, America, France and Japan and refer to the Maritime Customs, which the Powers are alleged to have used to make China poorer and rob her of much money. They also refer to the action of the Shanghai Municipal Council in making roads outside the Settlement limits, and alleged transgression of China's sovereign rights. They conclude by urging "Death is better than Imperialism, so make war on the Imperialists."—*Reuter*.

Inquest to be Held.

Shanghai, May 31.—Rain is keeping the streets empty, but the suppressed student excitement necessitates continued precautions. Inquests upon those killed will take place to-morrow and the trial of upwards of thirty of those arrested on Tuesday.

It appears that though a few girls were mixed up in the riots, none were actually arrested.

The general opinion is that the police took the only, though regrettable, course in preventing the students from securing the police arms, which would have led to most serious results.—*Reuter*.

The Chinese Press report that in the riots the police took action dispassionately, adding that the Chinese and foreign authorities have the matter in hand and expect the affair to be settled amicably. They do not expect any further trouble.—*Reuter*.

OBITUARY.

MR. J. B. SUTTOR.

Kobe, May 30.—The death is announced of Mr. J. B. Sutor, formerly Far Eastern Commissioner for New South Wales.—*Reuter*.

Mr. Sutor was well-known in Hongkong. He passed through the Colony quite recently on his way back to Japan. During the war he attended an annual meeting of the Hongkong Chamber of Commerce. A fluent speaker, he warned the Chamber to be on the qui vive lest the Germans in Canton send torpedo junks to harass our shipping.

BREACH OF TRUST.

A REFUGEE FROM SINGAPORE.

Bombay, May 30.—The Police have arrested an Englishman, Crompton Cowper, who arrived aboard the Karapara from South Africa. When he was placed before the magistrate, the prosecutor stated that Cowper was arrested at the instance of the Singapore Government in connection with a case of criminal breach of trust. Cowper was remanded, pending the arrival of an escort from Singapore.—*Reuter*.



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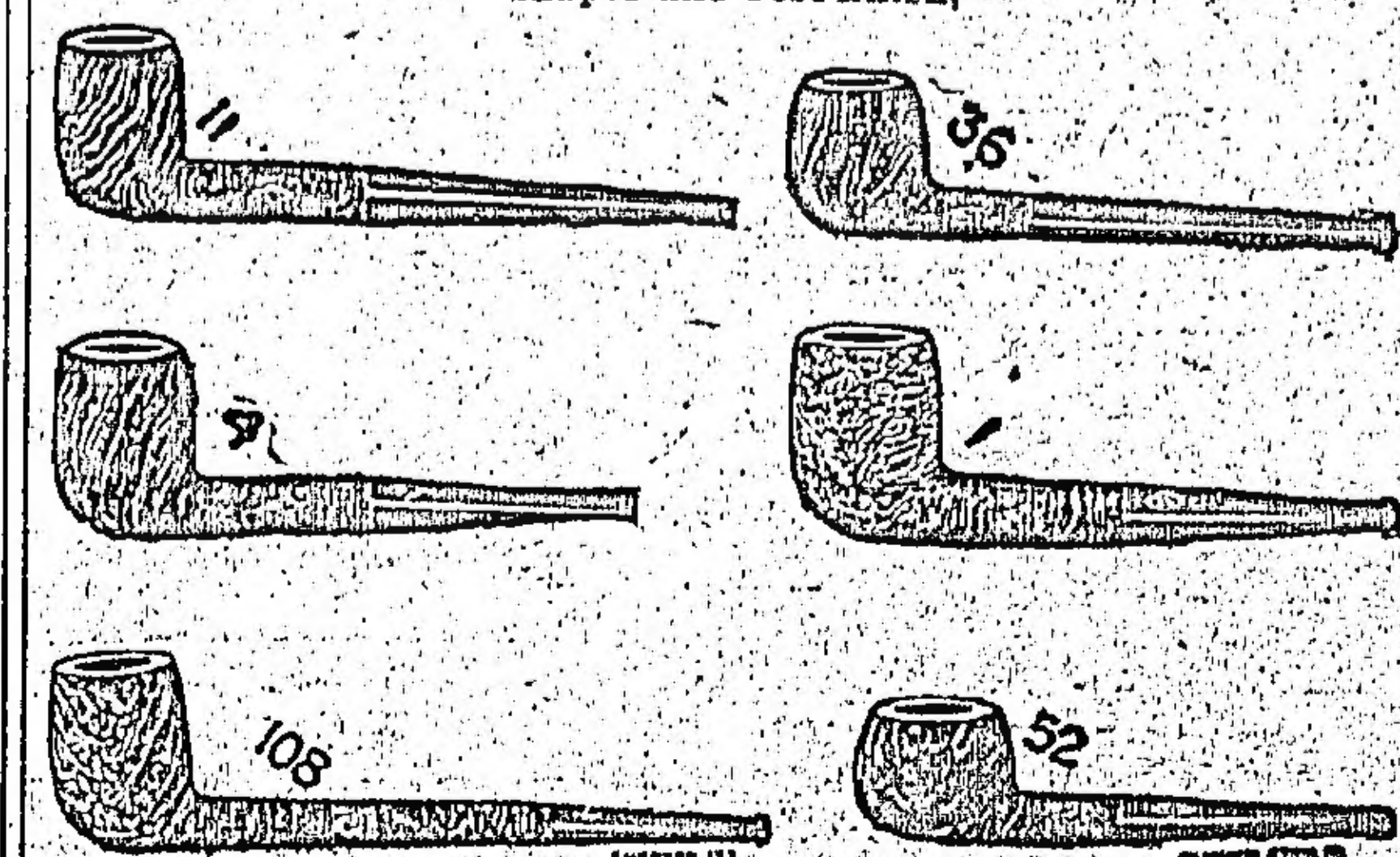
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IN accordance with Ordinance No. 5 of 1912, the Exchange Banks will be closed for the transaction of Public Business on Wednesday, the 3rd June.

INSURANCE OFFICES.

NOTICE.

WHIT MONDAY AND KING'S BIRTHDAY HOLIDAYS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that all Fire and Marine Insurance Offices will be closed for the transaction of public business on Monday, 1st and Wednesday, 3rd June, 1925.

By Order,

LOWE, BINGHAM & MATTHEWS,

Secretaries,

Fire Insurance Association of Hongkong,

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THE Forty-fourth Ordinary General Meeting of the Company will be held at the Office of the General Managers, Messrs. Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ltd., Pedder Street, Hongkong, on Wednesday, the 10th June, 1925, at 11 o'clock in the morning for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors, passing the Accounts, and electing Directors and Auditors.

The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from the 3rd to 24th June, 1925, both days inclusive.

By Order of the Board,

JARDINE, MATHESON & CO., LTD.

General Managers.

Hongkong, 19th May, 1925.

PEAK TRAMWAYS COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Annual Ordinary General Meeting of Shareholders of the above Company will be held at the Hongkong Hotel, Hongkong, on MONDAY, 8th June 1925 at 1.00 a.m. for the purpose of receiving the report of the Directors together with a Statement of Accounts for the year ended 30th April 1925.

The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from WEDNESDAY, 3rd June to TUESDAY, 9th June 1925 both days inclusive.

JOHN D. HUMPHREYS

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H. P. WINSLOW,

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Kowloon-Canton Railway,

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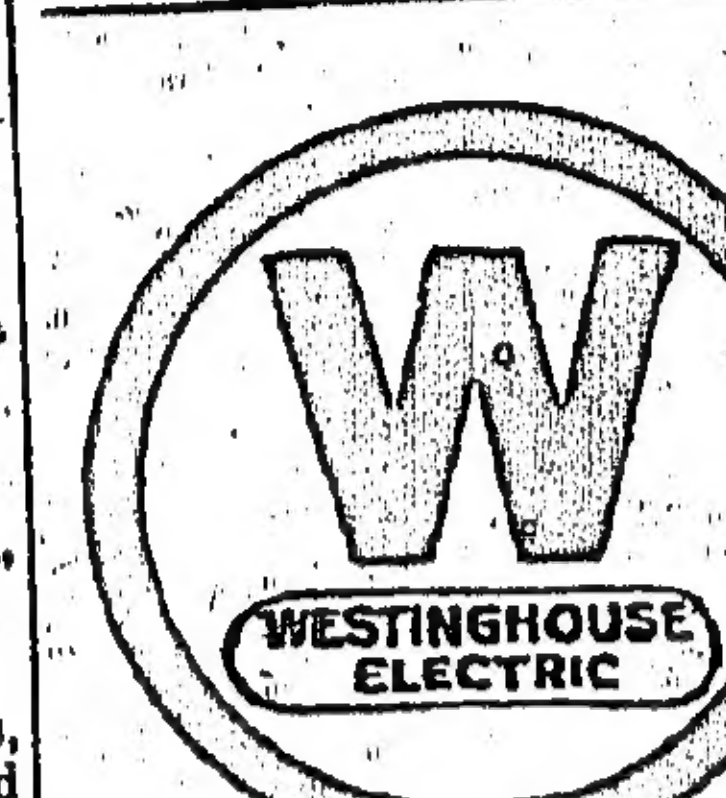
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friends and to thank them for all

their kindness to him. He will

be very glad at all times to hear

from them.

Mr. H. Percy Smith leaves the

Colony on the Blue Funnel

"Hexagon" on the 1st of June

for England, where he has taken

a house known as O' Marine

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Letters to Constitution Club,

Northumberland Avenue, or to

Thatched House Club, London,

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NOTICE.

THE NORWEGIAN CONSUL-

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grateful for the receipt of any

rows or information of Mr.

HANS-KRISTIAN TOLLEF-

SEN, born 21st September 1875

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Shanghai about 1900 and was

afterwards Chief Officer on the

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the last twenty years no news has

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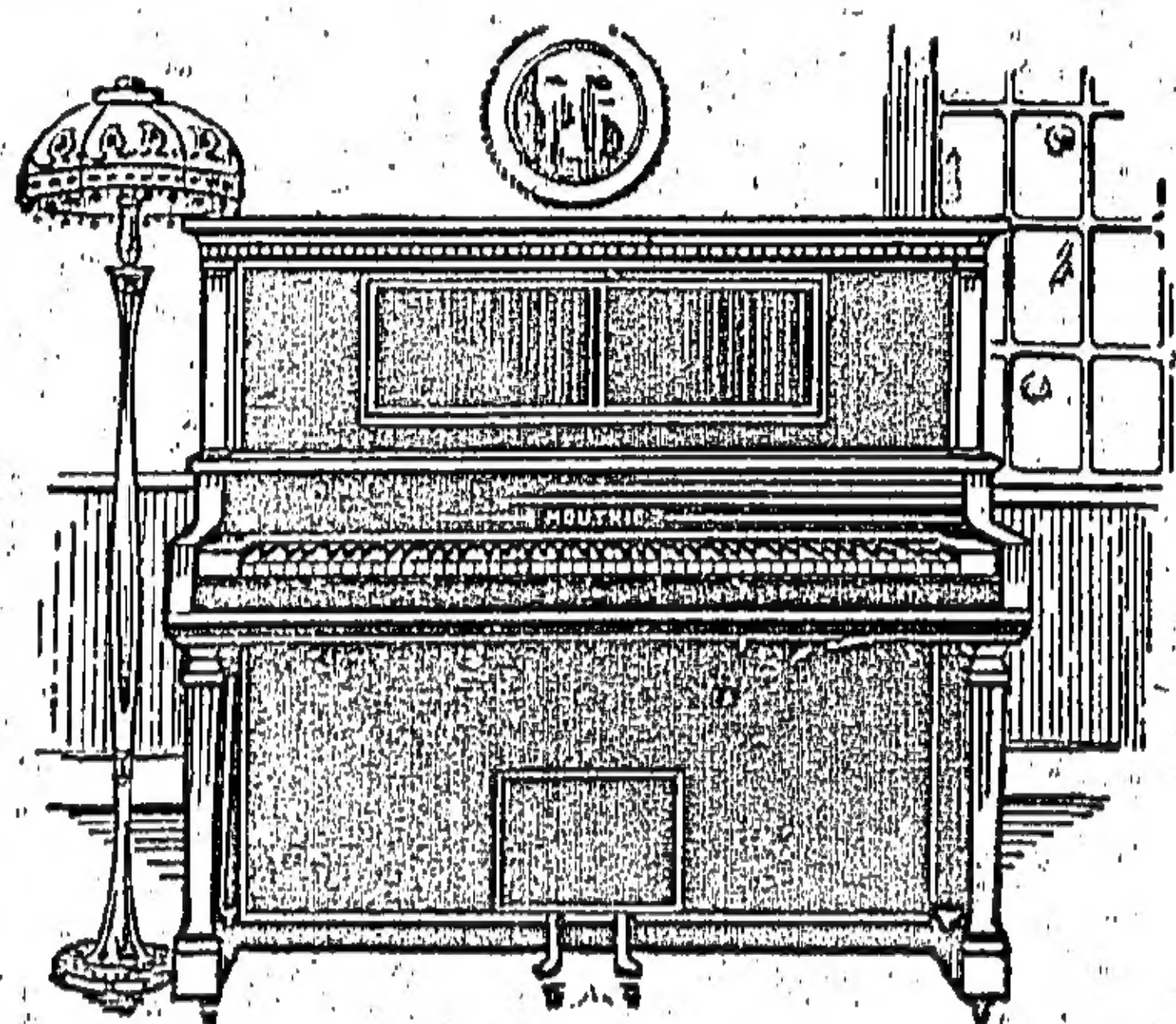
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BIRTH.

ROZA.—On 1st June, at Hong-kong, to Mr. and Mrs. C. A. da Roza, a son.

SILVER WEDDING.

GREEN—BANKER.—On June 1st, 1900, at the Consulate for the United States of America, Shanghai, before Mr. John Goodrow, Consul General, by the Rev. J. R. Hykes, Elizabeth Banker, daughter of late William Swallow Banker, pilot, Newchwang, to Samuel Ebenezer Green, son of the late John Harwood Green of the Chinese Imperial Maritime Customs, Swatow, and of Shrapstone, Northampton, England.

DEATH.

MEEK.—At the Peak Hospital on the 31st May, Thomas Meek, late of the Meter Department, China Light & Power Co., (1918) Ltd. Funeral passes the Monument at 5.30 p.m. this evening.

The Telegraph.

HONGKONG, 1st June, 1925.

GERMANY'S CHANCE.

Nothing has transpired to suggest that the election of Marshal Von Hindenberg as President of Germany has had an adverse effect—the country goes on as before, and the Allies are able to consider the question of reparations as if there were no change in the head of the Government at Berlin. It is Germany's chance to prove her good faith, and she is evidently taking it. For some months there has been a very sober trend of thought in the country, and all efforts have been bent towards one object, namely the carrying out of the latest terms imposed by the Allied nations, so that the reparations can be paid off by instalments without the least default occurring at any time, and eventually the right to have the Cologne area evacuated will have been earned. The latest news is to the effect that the Dawes plan is being carried out quite satisfactorily and the Allies are merely enquiring into whether the military clauses of the Versailles Treaty have been adhered to before deciding about the evacuation of Cologne. There was recently a statement that, though the German Government had disbanded all but the small armed forces permitted by the treaty, and had dismantled the armament factories, which

came under the Allied ban, there were a few places where commercial munitions works could easily be turned into factories for big guns and other weapons of war. But short of prohibiting the entire manufacture of all lethal weapons in the country, the Allies can hardly place further restrictive measures in operation without laying themselves open to a charge of needless insistence on punitive items. There seems to be nothing, in fact, to prevent Germany presenting a good case for the Cologne evacuation in a few months time.

We suspect, however, that what is at the back of the minds of those who would see the Germans penalised somewhat longer, is the fear that once control be given up there would be nothing to prevent our former enemy setting up munitions factories and training and equipping large forces of men, and indeed returning to her full position as a first-class Power. But that is inevitable, even if not for a generation or two, and it seems futile to attempt to prolong a policy which was shown to be impracticable soon after the conclusion of peace. The one great remedy for future conflicts in Europe is the establishment of a mutual peace agreement, which must be based on friendly intercourse if it is to be lasting. This friendly intercourse must include Germany just as the proposed pact will have to obtain her adherence. The time is coming when there will be an independent Germany, possibly a member of the League of Nations, able to sit at international councils no longer as the convict on parole, an object of suspicion, but as a free country capable of materially affecting the subsequent success of world treaties. It appears to us that the time has arrived to give the German Government the benefit of whatever doubt there might be, and refrain from irritating insistence on minor restrictions which treaty rights still carry. This will give Germany her proper chance to make good, and the subsequent position she occupies at the international conference table will depend entirely on the use she makes of the golden opportunity.

Strange Talk.

There is something almost comic in a recent manifesto by the Kuomintang Government, headed "Canton for the Cantonese," in which a determination is expressed to govern and preserve the province of Kwangtung for the people of Kwangtung. An utterance of that character comes strangely from a Government which had to establish itself by the aid of Yunnanese, Hunanese and Kwangsi troops, and which has since been shown to have been reduced to the position of a tool in the hands of Russian propagandists. Getting into power by such means and nominally holding the reins of office under such conditions, we cannot imagine how its leaders can have the effrontery to declare themselves in favour of the policy of "Canton for the Cantonese." In another recent manifesto, the same Government prates at length of its desire and intention of serving "the people" and asserts that its desire is to promote the status of "our nationals." Then follow all manner of specious promises of future improvements in political and industrial life, with a final declaration that there is no barrier between the Government and the people. In this latter connection, the Kuomintang promises to give protection to the people "as regards freedom in participating in political affairs, in forming associations and holding gatherings, in the right to strike and in free speech, and a free press, provided that they do not conflict with the party policy." The italics are ours. They serve to show the Kuomintang conception of freedom, which is

DAY BY DAY.

FAIR WORDS GLADDEN SO
MANY A HEART.—*Longfellow.*

The Board of Education is to meet on Wednesday afternoon.

After a health trip to Japan and North China, Mr. A. Morley returned to the Colony by the s.s. Nagoya yesterday.

The silk which left here by the P. and O. s.s. Macedonia on the 2nd May was delivered in Marseilles on the 29th, a transit of 27 days.

Amongst the passengers who left by the P. and O. liner Morea on Saturday were Mrs. E. B. C. Hornell, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Wheller, and Mr. B. A. Hale.

Police Headquarters this morning denied the report that a picket of constables was fired upon by one of a gang of supposed desperadoes on the Magazine Gap Road last night.

We are glad to learn (says *The Rock*) that Father Souvey of the Missions Etrangères, who is well known to Hongkong Catholics, has left hospital at Shanghai and is now staying at the Procure there, making rapid strides in convalescence after his long and serious illness.

There was quite a large crowd present at the carnival dinner dance at the Repulse Bay Hotel on Saturday night, when a very jolly evening was spent. The menu card bore the words of the new fox-trot hit, "The Flapper Wife," which proved a most popular dance, being twice encored.

Mr. W. H. Perry, who for two years has been on the staff of the Hongkong and Shanghai Hotels, Ltd., for the last eleven months as resident manager of the Hongkong Hotel, has resigned his position with the Company and is shortly proceeding to Shanghai to take charge of a small catering establishment.

It is to be feared (says *The Rock*) that the death of Father Pilon (who was captured by brigands in Yunnan over a year ago) must now be regarded as certain. Last month we reported that negotiations were still being continued with the brigands, but these have now been definitely broken off, and it is unhappily morally certain that the stories of Father Pilon's death, which have persisted from Chinese sources for some few months, were well-founded.

equivalent to saying "You have absolute freedom to do what you like, provided you do what we tell you." In other words, the Kuomintang leaders are to be autocrats and dictators. That is the Canton Government's idea of "popular government."

Education.

The latest school slogan in the United States, we read, is "Back to essentials." But what are essentials nowadays? Reading, writing and arithmetic, most folk would say, of course. But one commentator cautions about that point. He says reading was once regarded as the key to knowledge, writing to expression and arithmetic to business. Beyond the small circle of personal contact, reading was the only means of receiving information; but to-day, radio threatens to make the hearing of words as important as the seeing of them. Writing? Most of us are getting out of the habit of doing any, and growing numbers employ stenographers to whom they dictate their words. Arithmetic? Modern machines are more reliable than many individuals in the matter of making calculations. These are interesting thoughts, and they show how conditions are altering. The "three R's," of course, were always regarded as means to other ends; and nowadays it would appear that there are other means to those ends—and there are, besides, more ends. The educated man of the future will doubtless still need to know how to read; but what of writing and arithmetic?

PLAY AND PLAYERS.

NEW BLOOD IN BOXING.

By "Wanderer."

Comparatively newcomers to the Army fistio world did wonderfully well, even in defeat, at the inter-platoon tournament, Surrey, which concluded on Saturday, and if their progress continues, the "established" title-holders—for one can invariably pick out winners at the various weights before the preliminaries commence—will need to cast off their mantle of lethargy if they are to maintain their present supremacy.

Baker, Drums and Signals, who must have been the youngest competitor upset many calculations in defeating Mabey, who won the Company flyweight championship a few weeks back. Mabey had the stronger punch, but Baker's footwork was a treat to watch and judicious use of neat straight lefts gave him sufficient points to gain a good though narrow victory. There was some dissent, but while spectators run away with the idea that heavy punching counts more than a clearly defined hit,—"maskee" the weight behind the blow—they will be prone to mistakes, committed by judges themselves often enough.

Pto. Baxter, No. 1. Platoon, gave a great display against Drm. Simpson and he too, gained a very narrow victory. A draw might have been more satisfactory, or the ordering of an extra round might have shown a real distinction. Simpson a more polished performer, though this is not to indicate that he is polished, anything to speak of, sent Baxter to the boards on more than one occasion, but the newcomer fought back in great style, and though he had only just risen from a count when the gong sounded, he was given the verdict. This was the final of the Bantamweights.

Cooper, No. 1. Platoon, is of course, not new to the ring, but he came nearer to defeating Drummer Bowles than he has ever been before. Cooper is developing into a clever spoiler, who scores good points when occasion offers. Bowles found great difficulty in getting through his guard, but he was given the decision.

Williamson, No. 1. Platoon, has got quite a reputation as a kayoe king, but his progress in this respect received a momentary check when he met Key, No. 4, who absorbed punishment like blott-

ing paper does ink. Key also handed out some hefty punches, but lost on points. Williamson won the final by knocking out Simmonds in the first minute.

Eaton lost to Problitts in the final of the middleweights, but he was obviously not trying to win. The two points gained by No. 1. Platoon levelled their score with Drums and Signals.

Four of the seven finals were won, appropriately enough, by the No. 1. Platoon and two went to Drums and Signals.

DUPRE IN THE COLONY.

Andre Dupre arrived in the Colony on the Nagoya yesterday and we may expect, within a day or so, to hear that satisfactory arrangements have been made for a return fight with C.P.O. Jim Cartledge. The most probable date should the fight materialise, and at present there appears no reason to make any suggestion to the contrary, will be June 13th. The French flagship, the "Jules Ferry" is expected on Hongkong on June 12th and there should be a large crowd of his compatriots to give him a cheer.

INTERPORT CRICKET DINNER.

The concluding event in the series of entertainments arranged for Hongkong's cricket representatives was the customary Interport Cricket Dinner. A wonderful time was spent, our men will agree, and one of the most interesting events was the presentation of a bat to Captain Morris, and a silver cricket ball to Mr. A. C. I. Bowker, as an appreciation by members of the Shanghai Cricket Club, for their fine batting and particularly the splendid all round display of Bowker.

"SAMMY" GREEN'S SILVER WEDDING.

Sportmen of the Colony would all wish to express their hearty congratulations to Mr. Samuel Ebenezer Green, the ever-popular hon. secretary of the Kowloon Cricket Club on the celebration of his silver wedding today. Better known as "Sammy," he has worked indefatigably on the club's behalf for many years. Mr. Green is still a great exponent of base-line tennis and this year he regained his former crown, the Club Champion of the H.K.C.C. He is one of those fortunate folk who show few signs of the wear and tear of life, and we hope to see him figuring prominently in the sporting world for many years to come.

A CURRENT MISCELLANY.

GLEANINGS FROM OUR EXCHANGES.

JAUNTING CAR'S ECLIPSE.
The Irish jaunting car, once regarded as much a part of Erin as the shamrock itself, seems to be fighting its last battle for existence in Dublin, the jarvey's stronghold, and the rather prosaic taxicab will remain the sole substitute for the leisurely horse-drawn vehicle of which the Irishman was fond.

The elders sigh for a Dublin that should still belong to the eighteenth century, architecturally and otherwise, but the eclipse of the jaunting car to them seems an ill omen.

In the shadows of the Bank of Ireland in College Green, once Grattan's Parliament, a line of jaunting cars stand to tempt the weary traveller or the tourist in search of a novel experience, but across the street a row of taxis for hire carry one into a different era.

As between the two the visitor knows no choice. And the provincial, too, has a hankering for the jaunting car.

JARVEY'S CHARGES ELASTIC.
To the traveller the loss of the old jaunting car might not be of particular consequence if it did not mean automatically the end of its pilot and chief glory, the Dublin jarvey. He is credited with a combination of vices and virtues.

is not informed in such matters. One pays as much as the jarvey decides in his wisdom his fare will stand.

Usually the jarvey finds it his duty to entertain the traveller by a particularly easy flow of conversation designed to please any prejudices.

The taxi is naturally very much more impersonal, and the driver farther removed from his fare.

Then, of course the motor helps considerably, but nevertheless Dublin will miss the jaunting car and its driver despite the tribute he exacts from all and sundry.

Dublin has no desire to be modern and prefers George Moore's description, "A rose-red city half as old as time."

TOREADOR MILLIONAIRE.

Rodolfo Gaona, Mexico's premier toreador, made his farewell appearance in the arena at Madrid before the biggest crowd that ever attended a bull fight during the 100 years of the Spanish national sport.

The throng of more than 22,000 saw the youthful son of Rodolfo cut off his father's "colata" or queue as a sign of his departure from the ring. During this ceremony a large bell tolled and massed military bands played "La Colandrina," Mexico's farewell song.

Gaona has killed 1807 animals. Dossing the shoemaker's bench for the bull ring when he was 19 years old, the Mexican star retires at the age of 38 with a fortune estimated at more than \$2,000,000.

ROCKET TO MOON.

Wireless Devices Inside It.

Can a wireless message reach the earth from the moon or from beyond our own atmosphere?

This extraordinarily interesting but seemingly fantastic problem may be solved in the near future, when Professor Robert Goddard, of Clark University, Worcester, Massachusetts, releases a giant rocket on its 238,840-mile journey to the moon.

Professor Goddard, who has been experimenting with his rocket for more than five years, has decided to include in the apparatus an automatic wireless signalling device.

The transmitter will be small, but powerful. It will be set in motion automatically at the moment that the rocket starts on its journey through space.

Astronomers have yearned for centuries to bridge the gap beyond our own infinitesimal plane, and to determine whether or not other worlds are inhabited by living people.

The sudden growth of wireless has placed in her grasp a new force of most portentous possibilities.

EARTHBOUND?

Dr. Heaviside, the famous physicist, has propounded the theory that wireless waves are earthbound, being guided by the electrical properties of the surrounding gases. Many experts agree with him, but the more adventurous minds have hoped to establish wireless communication with other planets.

Will Professor Goddard's rocket settle this momentous question?

The rocket will be propelled on its long journey by a series of explosive charges sufficiently powerful to drive the body of the apparatus beyond the gravitational pull of the earth.

This tremendous projectile will be watched by thousands of astronomers.

At the same time an army of wireless experts will be standing by their receiving sets noting the strength of the signals as long as they last.

When the world of science knows for a certainty that wireless waves can penetrate through interstellar space the time for further and even more ambitious attempts to communicate with other worlds will be hastened.

WOMEN AND AVIATION.

Exclusion from Public Transport.

The exclusion of women from any employment in the operating crew of aircraft engaged in public transport, in accordance with the decision of a Medical Sub-Commission in March of last year, was reaffirmed at the final sitting of the International Commission for Air Navigation.

In a discussion on airworthiness and the maintenance of machines a suggestion was put forward that the British system of ground engineers and maintenance should be included in the Air Navigation Regulations. At the present time the Regulations demand an airworthiness certificate but do not provide for subsequent maintenance. The matter was referred to a technical sub-committee, which will report in the summer, and a decision will be taken at the next conference in Brussels in October.

Another decision of the Commission was that the Air Navigation Regulations, while permitting the transport by air of sporting weapons and explosives for commercial purposes, subject to the consent of the nation concerned, forbade the carrying of arms, ammunition, and explosives of war.

FIRST DAY AT WEMBLEY.

Realistic Spectacle of Great Fire.

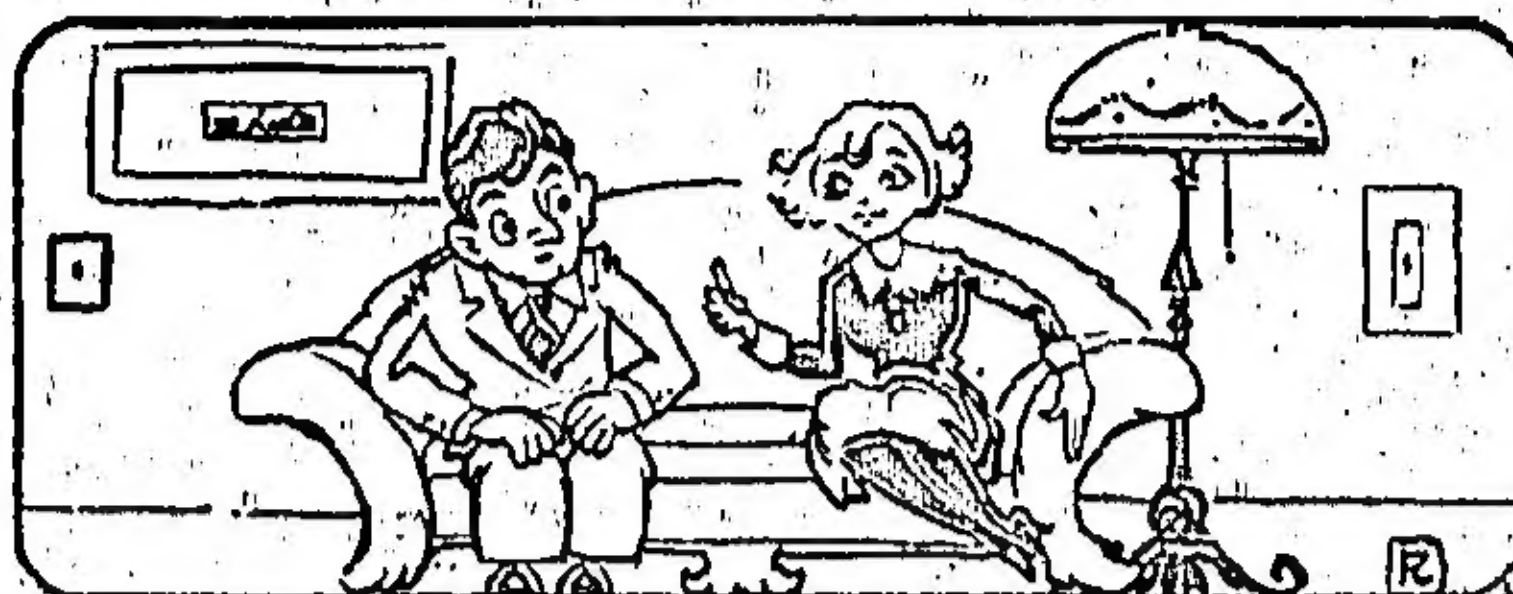
The new Wembley's first day concluded with a pageant at the Stadium of "London defended" representing with thrilling realism an air attack on London. A warning siren sounded after which, as searchlights swept the sky, a squadron of illuminated aeroplanes appeared and penetrated the anti-aircraft barrage and swooped over their objective which was a building at the west end of the Stadium setting it on fire with incendiary bombs, while flares simultaneously burst out of the tower at the east end. The fire brigade was summoned to rush up. After achieving an exciting rescue, the fire brigade conquered the conflagration. The concluding spectacle was realistic, the re-enactment of the Great Fire of London of 1666 in which effective use was made of searchlights whose giant shadows added to the horrors of the scene.

LAST LINE LIMERICK CONTEST.

A New Verse for Competitors.

The third week of our Last Line Limerick Competition starts today, the new verse appearing below. A prize of \$10 is offered for the best last line. Competitors should remember that the last line must rhyme with the first two. The result of last week's contest will appear on our issue of Wednesday.

Last Line for This Limerick Must Reach the Telegraph Office by Noon on Monday, 8th June, 1925. Envelopes must be marked "Limerick."



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Insult to National Colours.

For some time past the Dutch colours have been seen flying on the rivers and canals, bearing the legend that "Mr. So-and-so's motors are the best," says a Hague message. As long as this method was applied to ships used for home navigation the Dutchmen did not seem to mind. Recently, however, a Dutch steamer entered a Danish port with the advertisement flag flying. The Danes were indignant about this display of commercial instinct and several papers commented on it in rather scornful terms.

As a result, an official complaint was lodged with the Head Inspector of Navigation, at The Hague, who has now addressed a circular letter to all those concerned. He requests motor-builders to find other means of advertising their work than by (degrading the national flag, the use of which makes thoughtless skippers appear to the foreign eye to be people who lack all idea of dignity, both of their country and their flag, or who desire to show their contempt quite openly and do so in this deplorable manner. Shipbuilders are asked to withhold their assistance from this kind of advertisement, and skippers are urged to refuse to carry the tricolour thus mutilated.

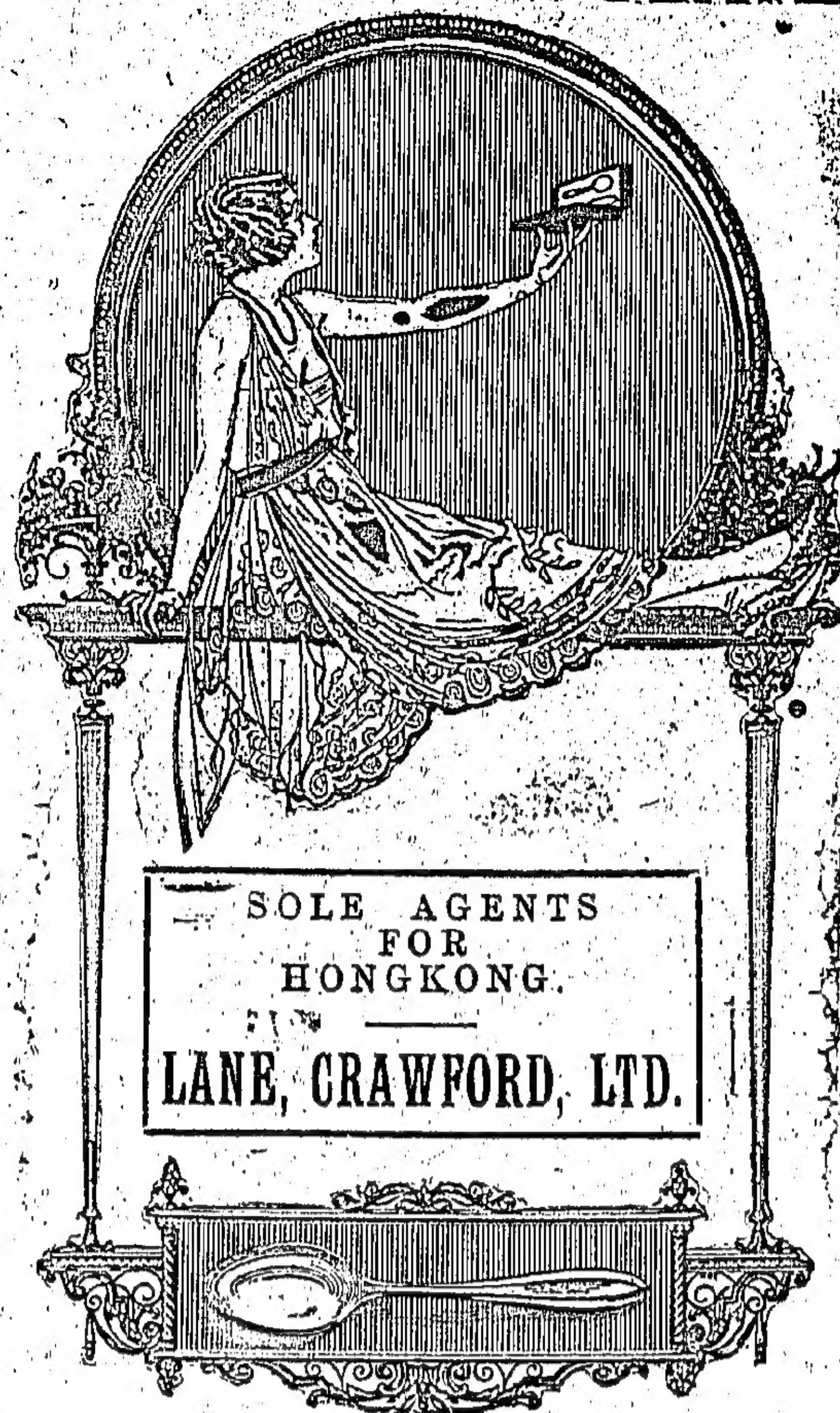
A Sporting Attempt.

The news that Mr. J. Linton Rigg, the well-known American yachtsman, is going to sail his little 16-ton schooner Eilatonga across the Atlantic to compete in the ocean yacht race that is to be sailed from Ryde to the Fastnet and back to Plymouth in August has aroused a good deal of interest among yachtsmen, for it is regarded as a thoroughly sporting effort, and English yachtsmen are getting keenly interested in the small racing schooners which are becoming so popular in the United States, and are all anxious to see one sail under modern conditions.

There are many, however, who doubt the wisdom of this race, for the boats engaged in it are small, being limited to 50ft. on the water-line, and it is liable to degenerate into nothing more than a test of physical endurance in which the man who has the best steward has the best chance of winning.

The Eilatonga is, of course, not by any means the smallest yacht to cross the Atlantic under her own sail, for it has been sailed in decked ship's lifeboats before now, and, of course, the famous little Tikum was infinitely smaller. But she is small enough to make it a very sporting attempt, and it is being appreciated accordingly.

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The framework is made of steel, manufactured at Middlesbrough by Messrs. Dorman, Long, and Co., and the heaviest member of the skeleton does not exceed in

weight two and three-quarter cwt. The insulation core is formed of slabs of compressed cork, in the one case 4 in. in thickness and in the other 2 in. The cork on the exterior is encased in solid concrete, applied to the depth of 1 1/2 in. by the cement gun upon reinforcement. It is pressed in a mould, will not swell, and cannot be burnt. Calculations have been made that show its insulation value will be so great there will be a saving of 25 per cent. of the fuel used for heating purposes, and another advantage of the cork house is that cottages made of this material will be comparatively sound proof.

SCAFFOLD ORIGINALITY.

It is not easy to achieve originality on the scaffold, but the murderer, Haarmann, who was executed at Hanover, seems to have done it. His last words before the axe descended were: "Au revoir, gentlemen!"

LOVE-MAKING--THEN AND NOW.

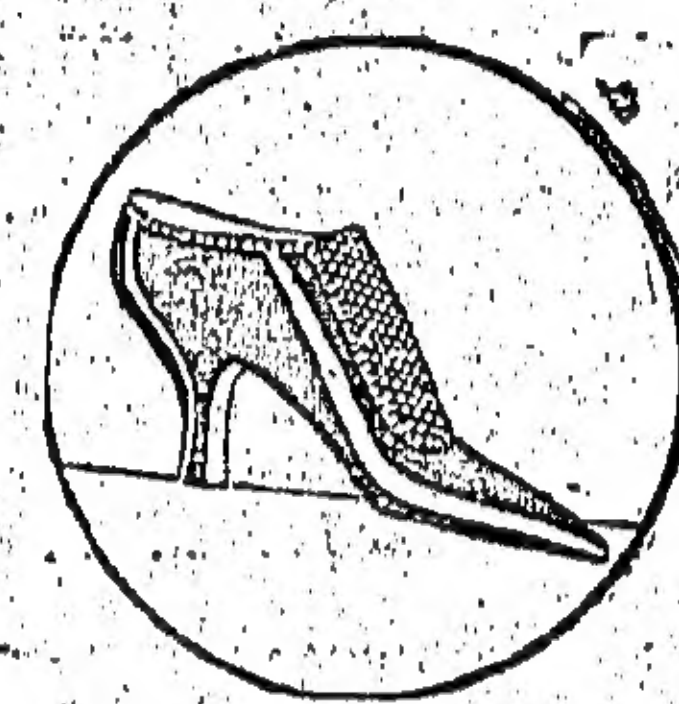


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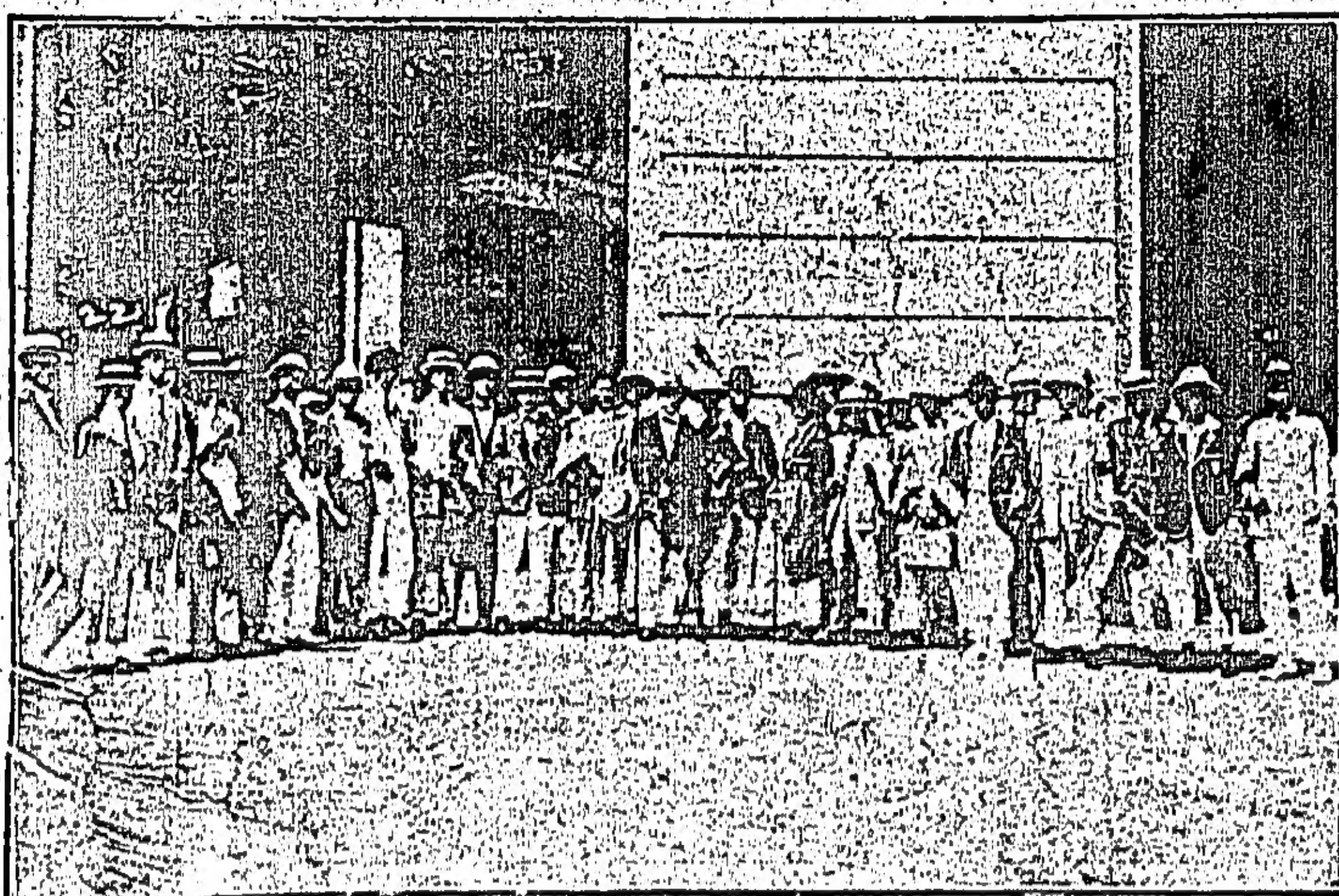
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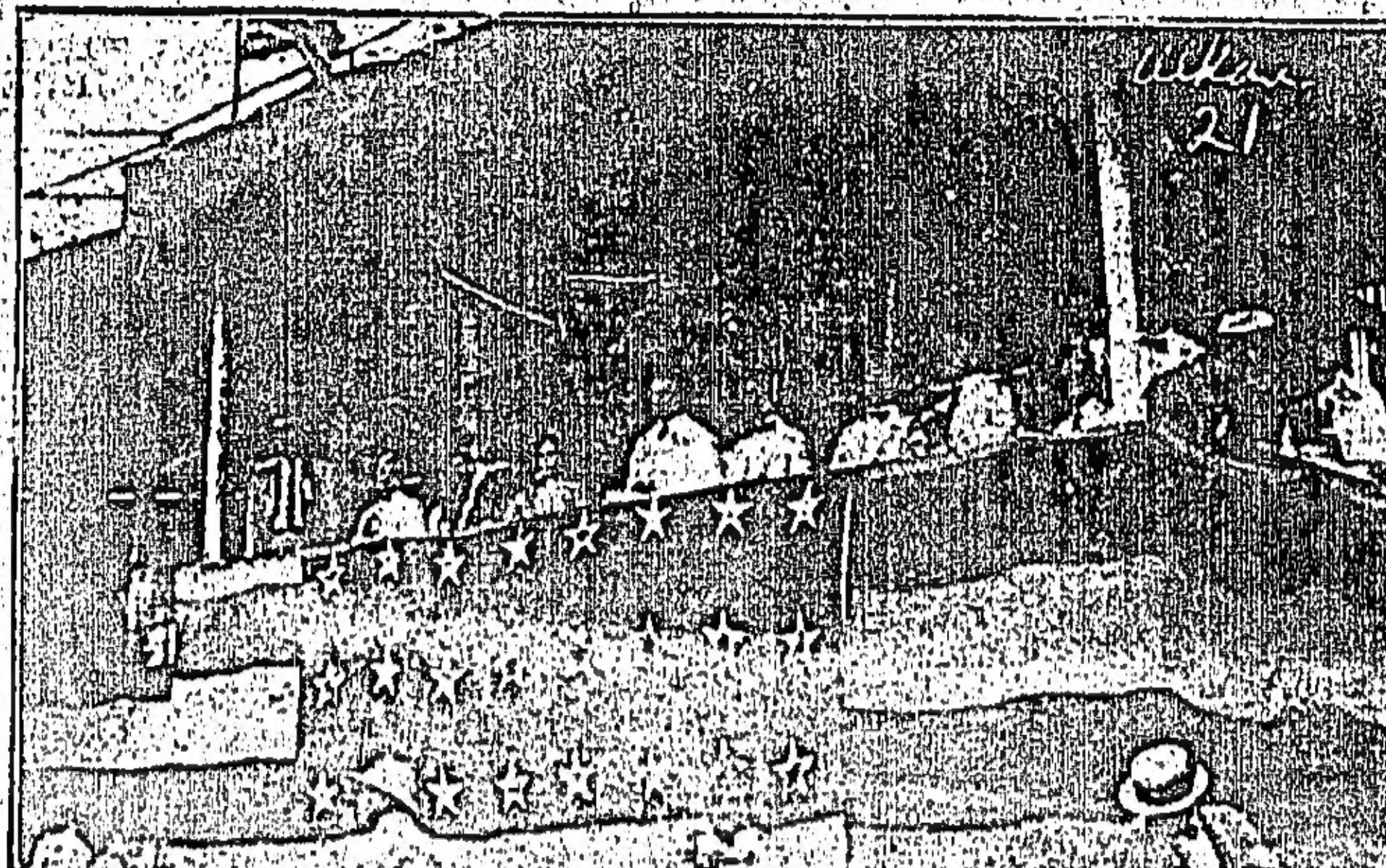
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THE MANILA OLYMPIC GAMES.

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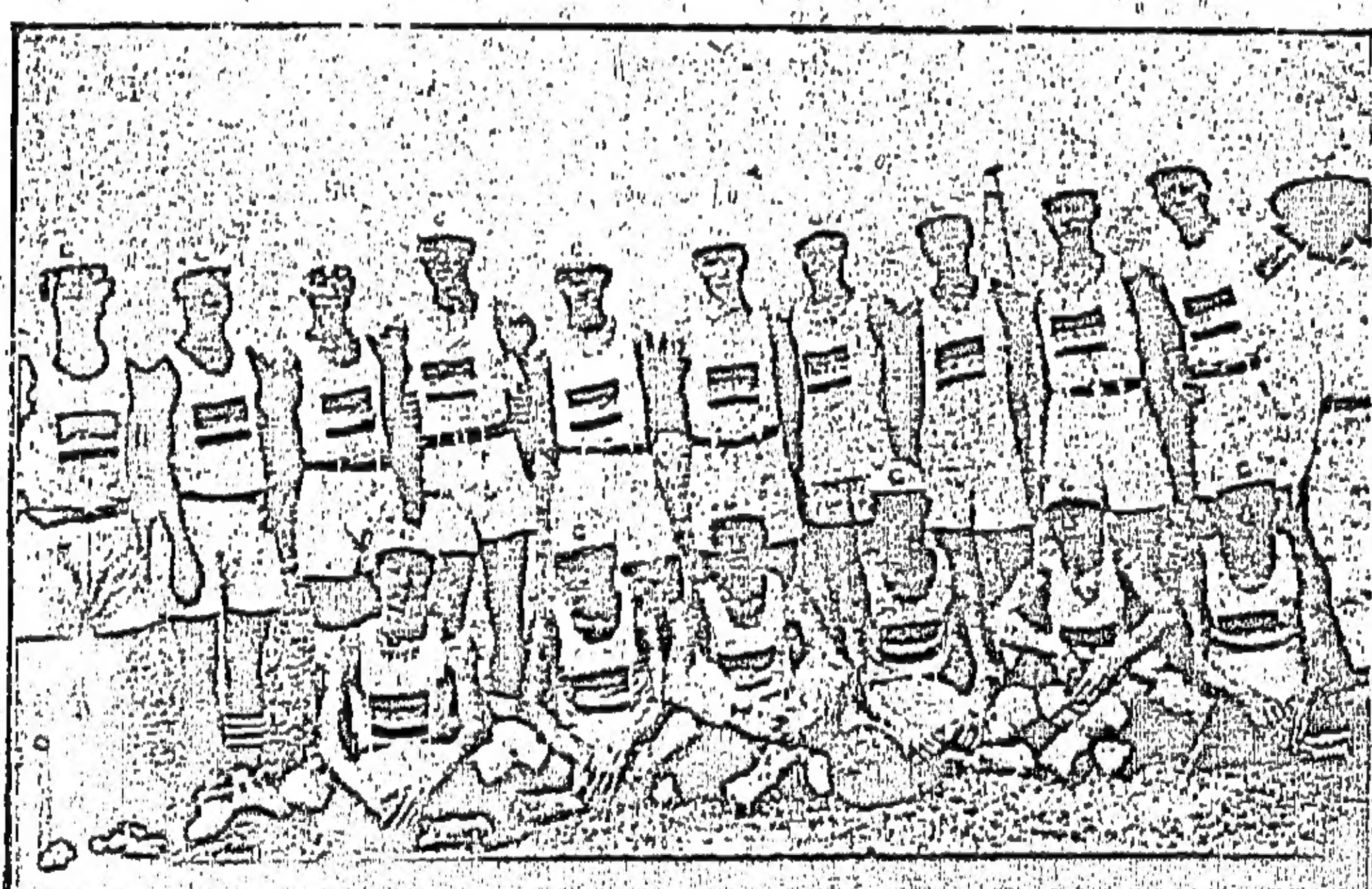


This picture shows the landing of the Chinese athletes at Manila.



The official stand at the Olympic Games, showing Governor General Wood in the centre.

Volley-ball Experts.



Here is seen the China volley-ball team.

Invincible Footballers.



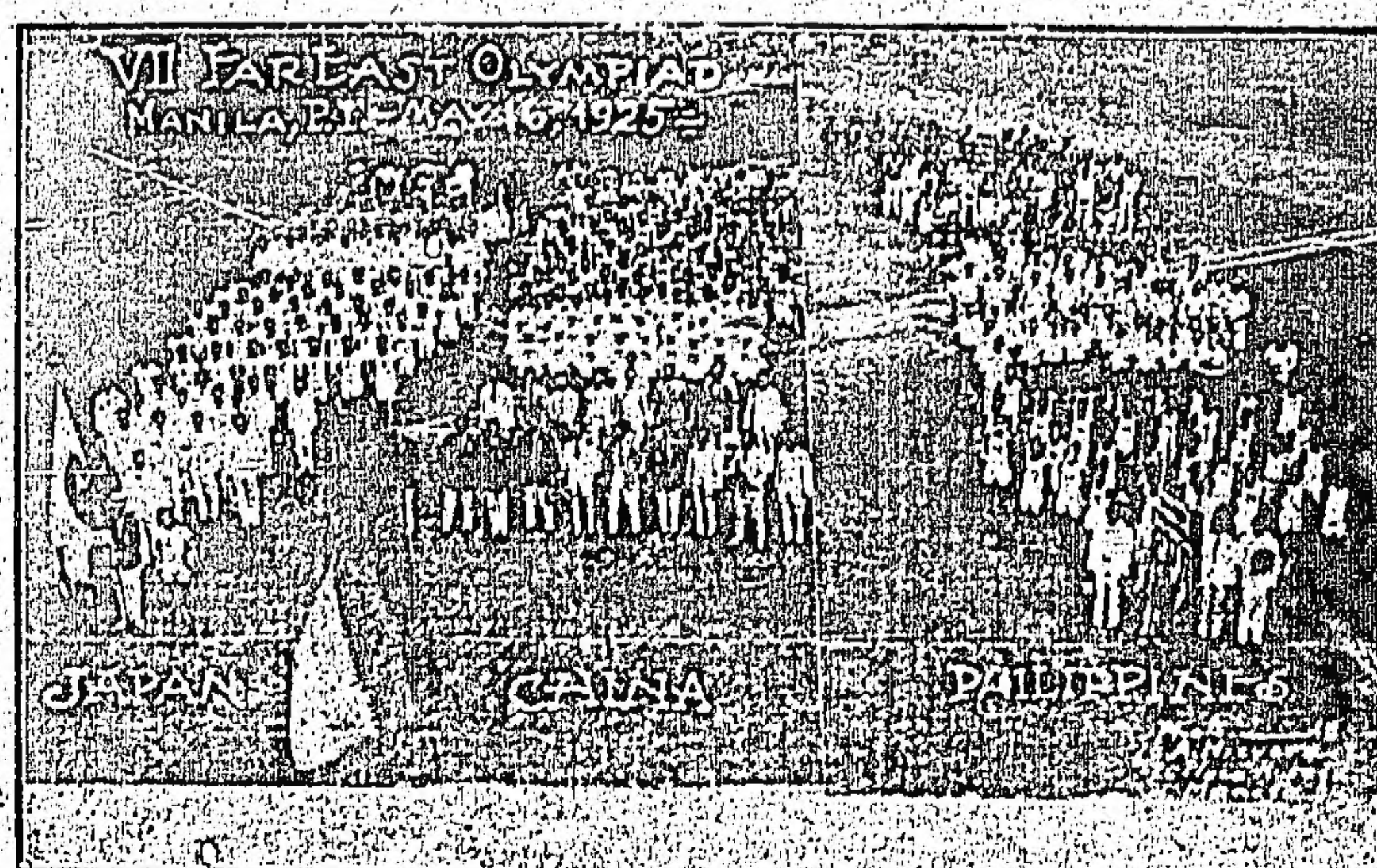
The champion China football team, which returned to Hongkong with an undefeated record.

Chinese Baseballers.



Above are pictured the baseball players who represented China.

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Scene at the parade of the athletes, showing the Chinese, Japanese and Filipino delegations.

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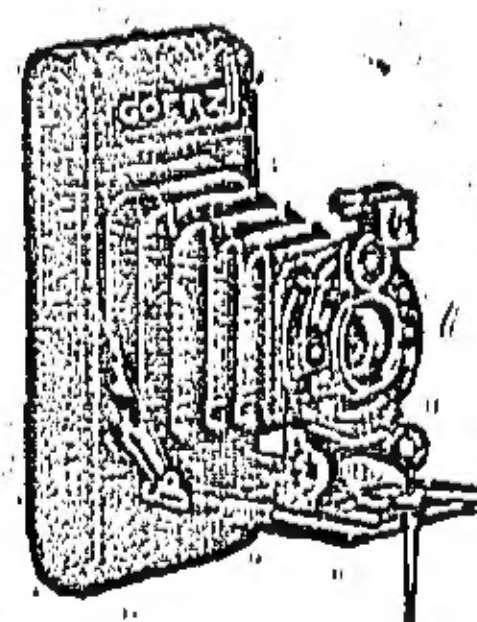
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STORY OF SLOOP'S
COMMISSION.

Strange Places.

With her coal supply practically exhausted, barely enough food aboard for just one more meal, almost no water, no cigarettes or pipe tobacco, but with a cruising record of 12,000 miles behind her and an Australian kangaroo tied out on the after deck as a souvenir of the trip, the British sloop Bluebell of the British Navy slipped into Manila harbour yesterday afternoon from the Pelew Islands en route to Hongkong, says the Manila Bulletin of May 21st.

She is completing a four and a half months cruise of the South Seas and while she left the home port, Hongkong, stocked to the gunwales with supplies of every sort, and has renewed many times en route, she came into Manila Bay yesterday "naked as a jay bird." She will be here four days and while the officers and men are stretching their legs from their many weeks of life aboard ship she will again stock up with the necessities of life, including a special diet for the wild kangaroo.

The sloop Bluebell is a trim little ship of only 1,200 tons and a complement of seven officers and 80 men, not counting a miscellaneous assortment of Chinese boys, who, according to officers of the ship, vary in number, according to where they are and the work to be done aboard. Just now they have a goodly crowd of the sons of Han aboard as they are nearing Hongkong and the native stamping grounds for most of them.

Although a tiny ship to be roaming the South Pacific all alone, the Bluebell fears no storms or waves, according to those aboard who have guided her during the past four and a half months through some of the most terrific storms which sweep the South Pacific. On various occasions she threatened to turn a somersault when a particularly playful wave slapped her broadsides, but she always came through on top and now she is almost home where she will be over hauled from tip to stern and those aboard will receive a rest well earned.

The cruise of the Bluebell has taken her to strange and out of the way places of the Southern Seas. Starting from Hongkong on January 12 she made a flying jump to Sandakan on the coast of British North Borneo and later visited Kudat and Jesselton, also on Borneo's northern coast, but there they departed for a place seldom seen by white men, the island of Bruna, a tiny spot in the Pacific off Borneo, and visited the capital, a town of the same name as the island. Here the sultan of Bruna holds forth and those of the Bluebell were entertained on a royal scale. The sultan brought out his harem, invited his guests to make themselves at home and—but that's another story.

OFF BEATEN PATH.

From the dreamy realm of the sultan the Bluebell and her men took the beaten path for a few days, visiting Singapore and Penang, but soon sailed away again for Teluk Anson and Port Swettenham, other ports in the same vicinity but not known to the average traveller en route to Europe. After having strange experiences in these out of the way places, the Bluebell's crew headed her nose back to Singapore and there she prepared for the long jump into the South Seas which was to bring still more strange sights before her and her crew returned north of the equator.

With her bunkers full and a heavy larder she went without a hitch to Macassar of the Celebes group, then on to Amboina of the Malacca dots in the blue salt Pacific and later dropped her anchor in the harbour of Dobo, a beautiful harbour of the Aru islands and under the flag of the Dutch. From there they went to the Thursday group for a flying visit. For a bit of a thrill they pulled into Cape York on the northern most tip of Queensland and took a day hunting ashore. They shot all manner of things and it was here they captured the kangaroo which to-day graces the rear deck of the Bluebell and some day in the words of its owner, will visit Bonny Scotland and

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The darker the room the brighter some folks are.

make more real the story of this wonderful cruise.

From Cape York the Bluebell went to Port Moresby in Papua, the latter being in New Guinea. Next to Rabaul, the capital of the Bismarck archipelago, where the crew witnessed strange dances which, in the words of the tellers, make vivid wild tales of the South Pacific and the languid life on palm shaded shores. From there they went to Ponape and Truk in the Caroline group. Next came Yap. Although their supplies had been gradually diminishing in spite of efforts to renew at every available point, the good ship Bluebell continued her cruise, from Yap steaming to the Pelews.

With barely sufficient fuel to bring them to the Philippines she again lost the sight of land, gambling with the god of the sea and the wind to haul into Manila Bay without mishap.

The Bluebell's commander is Commander A. R. Smithwick, D. S. O. The other officers are Lieutenant I. B. Farrant, Lieutenant P. G. Agnew, Lieutenant W. J. Rankine, Commanding Engineer J. F. Webb and Gunner E. A. Church.

RARE BIRD KILLED.

The killing of a fine female specimen of that rare bird, the great crested grebe, on the river Grata, Keswick, a few weeks ago, was the subject of a charge under the Wild Birds Protection Act against six Keswick youths. Mr. Ogilthorpe, prosecuting on behalf of the Royal Society for the Protection of Birds, emphasised the rarity of the great crested grebe, especially in the North. Defendants stoned the bird and hit it. It took refuge between two boulders, when Bennett caught it. They tore all the skin and feathers off the neck trying to kill it, thinking it was wild duck. The Chairman said he could not deal with defendants' brutal cruelty, and as, apparently, they did not know the bird, he fined them 7s. 6d. each.

WONDERS OF PACIFIC.

Message From The
Arcturus.

Extraordinary good luck is attending the Arcturus expedition in the Pacific.

The New York Times prints a copyrighted message from Dr. Beebe, the leader of the expedition, in which he reports the discovery on April 10 of two volcanoes in violent eruption on Albemarle Island, in the Galapagos group. No eruption has ever been witnessed there before. In honour of the two patrons of the expedition, Dr. Beebe has named the volcanoes Mounts Williams and Whiton. He expresses the belief that there is some connexion between the eruptions, the Japanese earthquakes, and changes in the Humboldt current.

Before the discovery of the volcanoes the Arcturus came upon a gigantic tide-rip where the Panama and Humboldt currents meet. In the mass of foam which extended for scores of miles walowed great numbers of whales and porpoises. Wreckage, covered with organisms and fish of all sizes feeding on them, provided the scientists with an unexpected opportunity for observation. For the first time they found there the eggs of halibutes, the only marine insects in the world. The eggs are being hatched in tanks. Incredible numbers of jelly-fish coloured the water purple for many square miles. The expedition, has caught more than 150 species of fish, among them being transparent flounders, deep-sea mackerel with blue and yellow lights, many kinds of jelly-fish, and fish which live only on jelly-fish.

Dr. Beebe reports that while drifting in the neighbourhood of the tide-rip, the Arcturus repeatedly, but vainly, attempted to break through "the saturation of the state" with its powerful wireless apparatus. The message is dated April 18 from Equator, 92deg. west longitude.

DAILY HUMOUR.



The peaceful, industrious German seen by the world, according to France, hides the old Prussian type, again arming adversely.

The Bulletin Glasgow.

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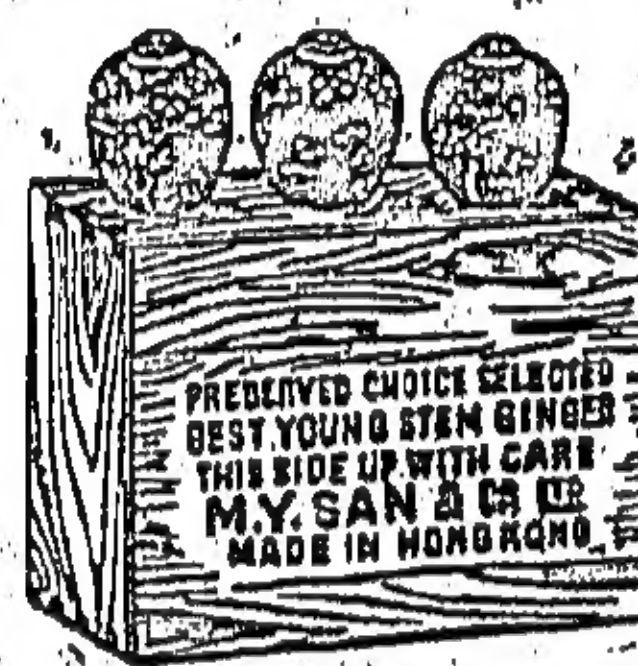
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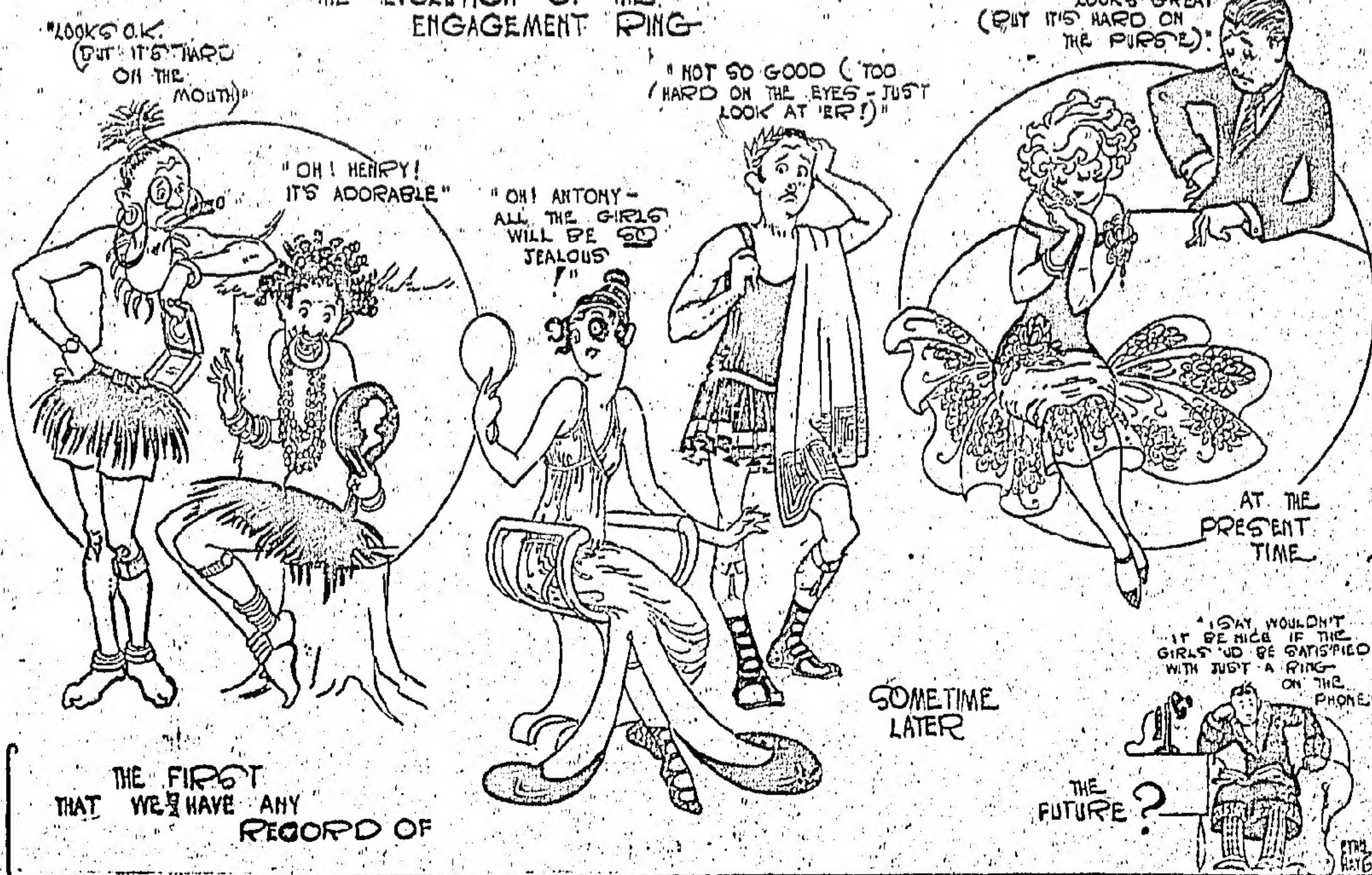
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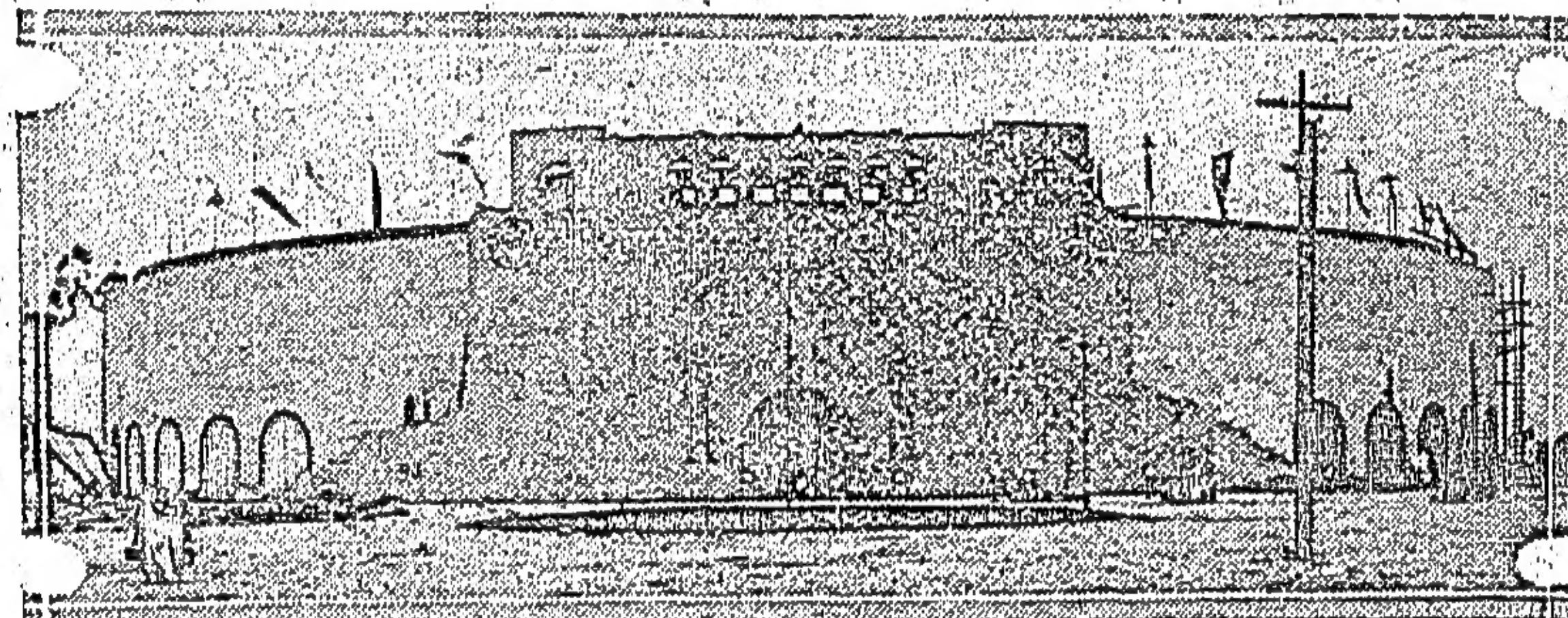
This rather pretty girl is Lucille Upton, a little-known actress, young sister of the well-known Peggy Joyce. The photograph was sent out to newspapers by a theatrical press agent, with the announcement that Martin B. Jones, a rich young man to whom she was engaged, had suddenly departed for Europe. This made people talk—about nothing at all.

A Fine Athlete.

Sturridge of De Pauw, left, winning the 100-meter dash in the Penn Relay games, with Plansky of Georgetown, middle, second, and Norton of Georgetown, third. Sturridge also won the running broad jump, the 400-meter run, the 110-meter hurdles, and the 1500-meter run.

Grant's Granddaughter.

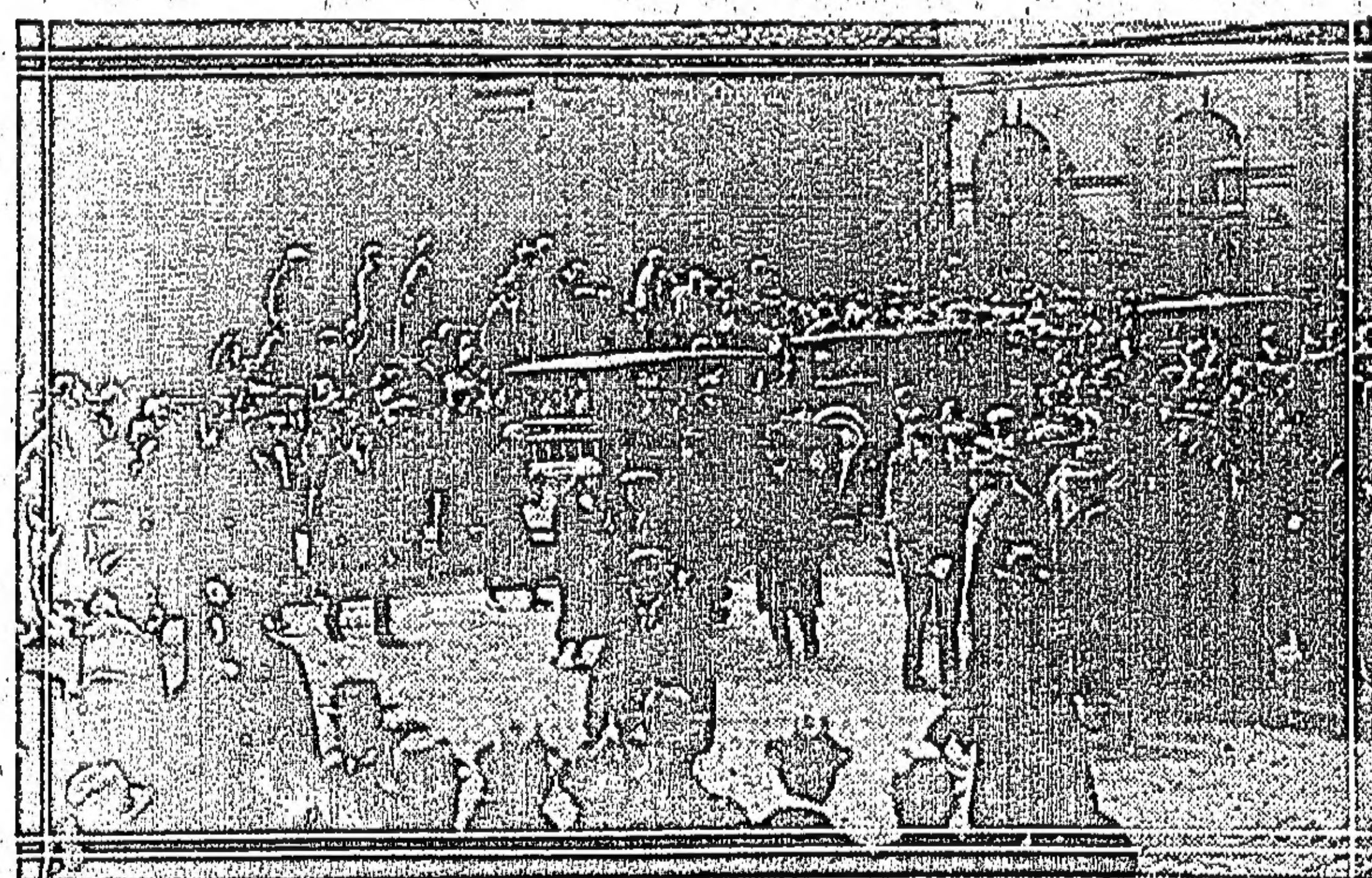
The engagement of Princess Borba Cantacuzene, daughter of the former Julia Dent Grant, now Princess Cantacuzene of Washington, to Bruce Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Floyd Smith of Louisville, Ky., has just been announced. The bride is a granddaughter of the late late President Ulysses S. Grant.

Mexico City Stadium.

With the introduction of athletics in the Mexican schools during the last few years, it is the opinion of many that fewer and fewer of the younger generation will leave home to join outlaw bands and other revolutionary factions. This shows the recently-constructed stadium.

Southern Champion.

Miss Virginia Ashe of Atlanta, Ga., is the champion woman swimmer of the south States, and is in training preparatory to going after some records this year.

Funeral of Charles Ebbets.

An immense crowd turned out to honor the memory of Charles H. Ebbets, late president of the Brooklyn National League Baseball Club. This photo shows the scene at the funeral services in Trinity Church, Brooklyn.

Famous Singer.

Above is a recent portrait of Miss Mabel Garrison, who is to sing here this week.



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| JEYPORE | 5,318 | 17th June | Singapore & Bombay |
| KALYAN | 9,118 | 13th June | M's, L'don, A'werp & Hull |
| MIRZAPUR | 6,715 | 26th June | S'pore, Pang, Obo & B'bay |
| MALWA | 10,941 | 27th June | Marseilles & London |
| DELTA | 8,097 | 11th July | S'pore, Pang, Obo & B'bay |
| KASHMIR | 8,985 | 11th July | M's, London & Antwerp |
| MANTUA | 1,0902 | 25th July | Marseilles & London |
| SOUDAN | 6,696 | 6th Aug. | S'pore, Pang, Obo & B'bay |
| KASHGAR | 9,005 | 8th Aug. | M's, London & Antwerp |
| MACEDONIA | 1,1039 | 22nd Aug. | Marseilles & London |
| SIOLLA | 6,813 | 3rd Sep. | S'pore, Pang, Obo & B'bay |
| NARKUNDA | 16,227 | 5th Sep. | Marseilles & London |
| KHYBER | 9,114 | 19th Sep. | M's, London & Antwerp |
| KARMALA | 9,128 | 3rd Oct. | M's, London & Antwerp |
| MALWA | 10,941 | 17th Oct. | Marseilles & London |
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| TAIRA | 7,933 | 2 June 1 p.m. | S'pore, Penang & Calcutta |
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| TANDA | 6,958 | 3rd June noon | Manila, S'kan, Thursday Is. |
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| DELTA | 8,097 | 12th June | Shanghai & Kobe |
| ARAPURA | 6,000 | 13th June | Moji, Kobe & Yokohama |
| TILAWA | 10,006 | 14th June | Kobe |
| MANTUA | 10,903 | 26th June | Shanghai, Moji & Kobe |
| KASHGAR | 9,005 | 10th July | S'hai, Moji, Kobe & Yoko. |
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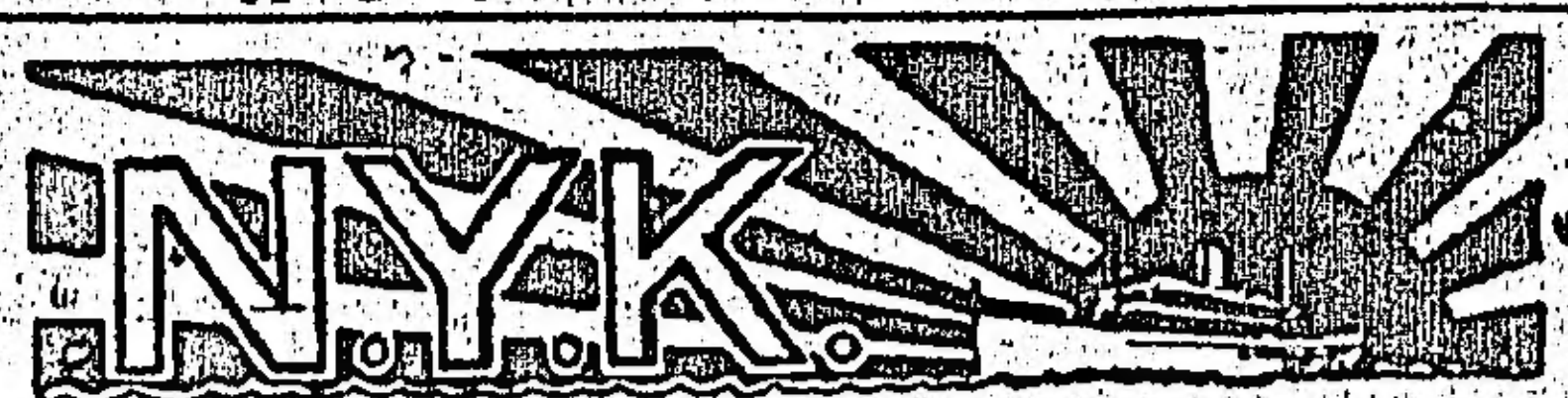
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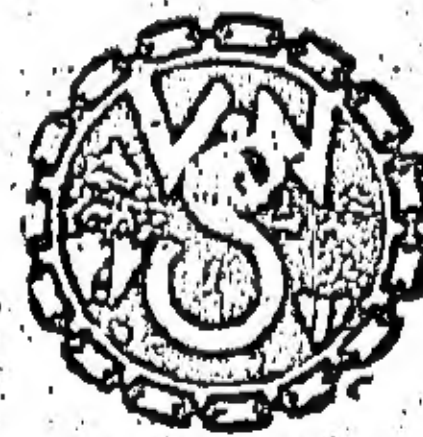
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| HAIPHONG via Swatow | Leesang | Fri. 7th June at noon. |
| BANGKOK via Swatow | Kwalsang | Tues. 9th June at 7 a.m. |
| MANILA | Vuensang | Wed. 10th June at 3 p.m. |
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Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that all goods are being landed at their risk into the hazardous & for extra hazardous godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Co., Ltd., whence, and/or from the Wharves, delivery may be obtained.

No claims will be admitted after the goods have left the godowns, and all goods remaining undelivered after the 4th June, will be subject to rent.

All claims against the steamer must be presented to the Under-signs on or before 11th June, or they will not be recognised.

All broken, chafed and damaged goods are to be left in the godowns where they will be examined on the 4th June at 10 a.m.

No Fire Insurance has been effected.

Bills of Lading will be counter-

signed by

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co., Ltd.

Agents.

Hongkong, 27th May, 1925.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

OCEAN STEAMSHIP CO., LTD.

